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Y. M. C. A. PLANS

CARTHAGE ASSOCIATION IS SIMILAR TO ONE WANTED HERE.

MAINTAINS DORMITORY

Built Three Years Ago at Cost of $42,000—Is Out of Debt and Nearly Self-Supporting.

Carthage, Mo., has a Y. M. C. A. that is organized on practically the same plan as the one proposed for a Y. M. C. A. here. Carthage is a city of about 10,000 persons, and the Y. M. C. A., which dedicated a $42,000 building three years ago, last year came within a small margin of being self-supporting. However, it was still in debt, a factor which has now been wiped out, and from now on the organization is expected to be self-supporting.

S. H. Kemp, chairman of the Y. M. C. A. committee here, has just received the last annual report of the Carthage organization, and it contains several interesting facts about the association.

The building and grounds cost $42,000. The building is 50x100 feet with three stories and a basement, a slightly larger one than is proposed for Maryville. It contains, of course, reading rooms, a meeting hall, gymnasium and swimming pool. In addition there are thirty rooms in the two upper floors of the building which are used for dormitory purposes.

Dormitory Feature is Successful.

The dormitory feature has proved one of the best things about the Carthage association. The city has no schools such as the Normal school here, nor any factories, yet every one of the rooms are rented and there is a large waiting list. The rooms rent for from $7.50 to $10 a month, furnished. The men who rent the rooms are entitled to the privileges of the building, baths, swimming pool, and all the other features, but they are not required to become members of the Y. M. C. A. nor attend any of the religious services unless they want to. A dormitory is planned in connection with the proposed building here.

Membership is divided into five classes. First there is the junior class, the members of which are boys from 12 to 15 years old. The yearly membership fee for this class is $5. The intermediate class consists of boys from 15 to 18 years old, and their fee is $6 a year. The senior class is composed of men over 18 years old, and they are required to pay a fee of $10 a year.

Then there are two special classes. One is for men over 18 years old who want the social privileges and baths only. A fee of $5 is required of them. During the summer months a special class is organized for boys from 9 to 12 years old. This class meets under the supervision of a trained instructor once a week, and the boys are given lessons in swimming and gymnastic exercises. The fee for membership in this class is $2.

The association is planning the organization of a new class for high school students to begin next year. The students will be given the privileges of the gymnasium and will receive regular instruction. The work done in the Y. M. C. A. will be counted as a regular part of their high school course.

Thousands Use Building.

The record of attendance shows how popular the organization is there. In the gymnasium classes there were 162 boys and 216 men. In attendance at the building were 1,782 boys and 2,476 men. Of non-members who used the gymnasium there were 1,500 boys and 400 men. Swimming was taught to 45 boys and 20 men, and 6,200 boys and 4,100 men used the swimming pool.

The association gives an entertainment and lecture course every year.

A secretary is employed at a salary of $1,500 a year. The janitor is paid $75 a month, and a matron is kept at a salary of $60 a month. At the end of the first year the association was $1,200 behind its expenses, but it is now a practically self-supporting organization.

W. R. Spencer, secretary of the Carthage Y. M. C. A., in writing to Mr. Kemp, said that he would want but two changes made in the organization as it now is in Carthage. One is to construct the building so that the apartments for men and boys are permanently separated. The other is that tennis courts or athletic fields should be on the same grounds with the building.

Barmann Auto company sold a Ford touring car to S. C. Curnutt of this city Friday.

ENTERTAINED AT SUPPER.

Party of Maryville Men Had Feast at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gex in Hughes Township.

A party composed of W. F. Phares, George Robb Ellison, R. B. Montgomery, F. P. Reuillard, James Todd, J. F. Hull, Harvey Haines, Edward Keck, R. P. Hosmer, George Pat Wright, Arch Frank, Joseph Jackson, Jr., went in cars yesterday afternoon to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gex, where they were their guests for supper. Everything good to eat was had and the prize for eating the most went to Mr. Frank.

TO SPEAK AT M. E. CHURCH SOUTH

Paul Prosser, of St. Louis Will Occupy Pulpit Tomorrow Night and Talk About Central College.

Paul Prosser, a St. Louis lawyer, will occupy the pulpit of the Buchanan Street Methodist Church tomorrow night and talk to the congregation about Central College.

Mr. Prosser has been selected by Dr. Linn, president of Central College, to present the claims of the school to the people. In writing to the Rev. J. D. Randolph, pastor of the Church here, Doctor Linn says: "Too much cannot be said of the ability of Mr. Prosser to hold the interest and attention of his audience."

HANDSOME PRIZE OFFERED.

County Sunday School Committee to Give Fine Premium for Largest Delegation.

The county Sunday school committee, at its meeting Friday, decided to offer a handsome banner to the Sunday school having the largest per cent of its enrollment registered at the county convention to be held at Burlington Junction, July 28 and 29.

The Burlington Junction schools are barred, giving an even chance to all the other Sunday schools of the county. The prospects indicate the attendance of an unusually big crowd at the convention. Railroad and automobile parties are being formed and every school in the county will have a good representation.

DEMOTT WILL NOT BE DEPUTY

County Clerk Denies Rumors He Will Be Connected With Office If Yeomans is Elected.

In the following public letter County Clerk Demott denies that he will be a deputy in that office if Fred Yeomans is elected.

"To The Public: Having learned that there are rumors abroad to the effect that in the event Fred Yeomans is nominated and elected county clerk I will be a deputy in that office, I desire to say that such rumors are entirely without foundation.

I have been honored by our people with two terms of the office of County Clerk, during which period I have endeavored to serve them faithfully and to the best of my ability. I want to assure the people of Nodaway county that I appreciate what they have done for me, and the honors conferred on me in the past, and to express to them my grateful thanks for the same. I want to assure them further that when my term of office expires December 1, 1914, my connection with that office will entirely cease.

GEORGE W. DEMOTT."

President Blagg Talks at Normal.

President W. A. Blagg of the Normal school board of regents was a visitor at school Friday and gave a short talk to the students during the assembly hour.

Mr. Blagg paid a very high tribute to the Normal school by saying that the internal organization of the school was better at the present time than it had ever been.

The emphasis of special training was stressed by the speaker in his talk.

"Many schools," said Mr. Blagg, "are ruined by good scholars who are poor teachers. Don't cut across lots. When you have given the full measure of your efforts for a year don't relax, but prepare yourself to give even greater service than before."

S. S. Class Back From Fishing Trip.

The Rev. J. D. Randolph of the Buchanan Street Methodist church and his Sunday school class returned last night from a fishing trip on the Nodaway river. The party left Maryville last Monday and camped about three miles south of Skidmore. Only mediocre luck was reported by the fishermen. The members of the class who made the trip are: Harry Seiler, Wilson Seiler, Elmer Seiler, Creston Maul, Russell Bagby and Charley Seiler.

Iowa Guests Return Home.

Mrs. F. M. McCaulley and daughter, Grace, who have been the guests of Mrs. McCaulley's brother, J. J. Barr and family, south of the city, left Saturday morning for their home.

EARLY ELOPERS

GLENN BREEDLOVE AND BEUHLA KIDD WED THIS MORNING.

HER FATHER OBJECTS

Each is 19—They Got License at 4:30 A. M. and Were Married by the Rev. L. M. Hale.

John Kidd of Bedison was just too late this morning to stop the marriage of his 19-year-old daughter, Beuhla, who eloped with Glenn Breedlove, also just 19 years old, the son of J. L. Breedlove, who lives southeast of Maryville.

The couple met early this morning and at 4:30 o'clock awoke Recorder J. Arthur Wray, who came to town with them and issued them a marriage license. As the young man had the consent of his father and the girl was of legal age, Mr. Wray thought nothing of the matter at the time.

From the recorder's office Mr. Breedlove and Miss Kidd went to the home of the Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, where they were married.

Not long after that Mr. Wray received a telephone message from John Kidd asking him not to issue a license to the couple. When Mr. Wray told him that the license had been issued already he immediately called up Sheriff Wallace to try to get the wedding stopped, but it was too late, and, as the bride was more than 18 years old, the sheriff could do nothing.

Mrs. Breedlove went back to her father this afternoon to try to reconcile him to the marriage and get his forgiveness. The young couple will live at the home of the bridegroom's father, J. L. Breedlove.

LANGSDORF TO LEAVE.

Will Go to Plattsburg to Be Associated With Clothing Firm.

Herbert Langsdorf, who has been in Maryville the past year, employed by Berney Harris, will leave that firm next month and will go to Plattsburg, where he will be associated with the Swike Mercantile company. Mr. Langsdorf and his family will leave here about July 20.

A. Swike, who is head of the Swike company, is a son-in-law of M. Nusbaum of this city.

Basket Dinner at Monroe Church.

The members of Monroe church, near Ravenwood, will give a big basket dinner tomorrow. The Rev. Ransford will preach at the morning service, and the Rev. J. D. Randolph of Maryville will deliver an address in the afternoon.

To Visit Sick Son.

Daniel Lynch left at noon Saturday for Ford City to visit his son, J. D. Lynch, who has been ill for some time.

POPULAR MUSIC

MORE BANDS AND SINGERS FOR THIS YEAR'S CHAUTAUQUA.

PRINT PROGRAM SOON

But One More Attraction to Be Booked to Complete the List of Talent.

With the booking of one more attraction, which the Chautauqua management has yet to do, the completed program will be prepared for publication and the books be ready for distribution about July 1.

This summer's program includes some of the finest entertainments on the Chautauqua circuit and will include more musical numbers than any previous program. There will be just as many high grade lectures and readings, but these will be interspersed with an extra list of musicals.

In securing these musical numbers, the management has catered to the popular demand and secured talent that will meet with the highest approval of every one.

On the opening Saturday and Sunday the Dixie Jubilee Singers will appear again. These singers were at the Maryville Chautauqua four years ago and were one of the most pleasing companies of the week.

On Monday and Tuesday the Avon Sketch club will furnish the entertainment feature. This company not only gives music, but appear in several sketches of song and story.

De Lano's Marine band will give a program Wednesday. This band has been heard by a number of Maryville people who recommend it highly.

The musical part of Thursday and Friday will be given by the Alber Octet, who give their numbers in costume and also appear in several illustrated songs and tableaux.

The music for the last two days of the entertainment has not yet been secured but several high grade attractions are under advisement. In addition to the outside list of musicians, the Maryville band is to give several programs and several of the city's best singers are also to be heard.

Rev. Haudenschield to Preach

Rev. C. R. Haudenschield, of Los Angeles, Cal., who is in Maryville for the summer, will preach tomorrow morning at the First Methodist church at the regular hour of service. Rev. Haudenschield and his wife and daughter are spending the summer at the home of Mrs. Haudenschield's mother, Mrs. J. V. Embree.

Leave For Eastern Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lowry of Holdridge, Neb., who have been visiting the Tom Hallowell and J. S. Clark families, left Friday for an extended eastern trip of several weeks before returning to their home.

Attendance at Church of Representative Men More Powerful Than Sermons

MEN should GO TO CHURCH.

What is the matter with our men? They are quick to proclaim their faith in God. They will strongly resent the intimation that they are nonbelievers. Yet when they are asked why they don't attend church they are ever ready with an excuse. If the leading men in this community, one and all, would start right now to attend church regularly their example would be all powerful. Their continued attendance would be more effective than a dozen sermons.

IT IS NO EXAGGERATION TO SAY THAT 75 PER CENT OF THE REGULAR CHURCHGOERS TODAY ARE WOMEN. A HUSBAND WILL TAKE PRIDE IN HIS WIFE GOING TO CHURCH. IN FACT, HE WILL ENCOURAGE ALL HER CHURCH ACTIVITIES. IT IS RIGHT THAT HE SHOULD. IT IS ALSO RIGHT, AND ONLY JUST, TOO, THAT HE SHOULD BE SEEN IN CHURCH. SURELY THERE IS NOTHING THAT HE NEED FEAR IN THE HOUSE OF WORSHIP. SOME ARE QUICK TO CRITICISE THE PREACHER. IT WILL BE SAID THAT HIS SERMONS ARE DRY. AGAIN IT WILL BE SAID THAT HE IS SENSATIONAL IN HIS METHODS. THE READING OF THE GOSPEL OF THE DAY, THE WORD OF GOD, IS NEVER DRY. NEITHER IS IT SENSATIONAL.

It is true that we live in a rapid fire age. It is true that minutes count. It is true that the calls of business and social activities are pressing. But no man is too busy, none so much in demand but that he can arrange to spend a small part of Sunday in church. There isn't a man who attends church but feels better after the service. CHURCHGOING IS UPLIFTING. It takes our mind off the fleeting things of this world. CHURCHGOING is not far removed from the sublime.

GO TO CHURCH next Sunday!

GO TO CHURCH the following Sunday!

GO TO CHURCH every Sunday!

INJURED MAN DIED TODAY.

Grant Freeman, Ravenwood Farmer, Was Crushed by a Log a Week Ago.

Grant Freeman, who met with an accident a week ago Friday while he and his 14-year-old son were loading some logs at the Lew Messner farm to be taken to the Charley Farr sawmill, located on the John Davis place, near Ravenwood, died this morning at 9:45 o'clock at his home, four miles southeast of Ravenwood.

The funeral service will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Monroe church, near Atlanthus.

Mr. Freeman had fixed up a hoisting arrangement to which a horse was hitched to pull the logs up on the wagon, which for time worked successfully.

Mr. Freeman had applied the ropes to a large oak log, eight feet long and twenty inches through, and started the horse to pull it up, the boy was driving and Mr. Freeman was steadying one end of the log as it was slowly being drawn up into the wagon, and just as the log was about ready to fall on the wagon, in some manner the rope either slipped or broke, the log started back down, caught Mr. Freeman on the shoulder, knocking him down, the log rolled over his right side almost crushing him as it went. He was picked up and taken to the home of George Goodson, Dr. Hunterson was immediately called, and after a thorough examination satisfied himself that no bones were broken, but that Mr. Freeman was suffering from internal injuries.

Mr. Freeman was born in Grant City, Mo., seventy-five years ago. He was married January 1, 1883, to Miss Idaville Gooden, daughter of Cooper Gooden of Maryville. Nine children were born to them, three of whom died in infancy. The others, who, with Mrs. Freeman, survive him, are: Vern, Gladys, Edis, Howard, Elsie and Emma. Mr. Freeman is also survived by four sisters, Mrs. Roy Barker of Grant City, Mrs. Lee Reece of Albany, Mo.; Mrs. Cora Davis of Darlington, Mo., and Miss Rachel Freeman of Colorado Springs, Col.

W. C. T. U. ORGANIZED.

Mrs. Emmons, State Organizer, Heard by a Large Crowd Friday Night.

Following the talk of Mrs. Elizabeth G. Emmons, state organizer of the W. C. T. U. at the Buchanan Street Methodist church Friday night, a temporary association was organized with Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, president; Miss Myra Kern, vice president; Mrs. J. D. Frank, secretary, and Mrs. R. L. Finch, treasurer. The Maryville association organized some time ago had become disintegrated and the society now formed will take up the work for a permanent organization.

Mrs. Emmons will meet with the society Monday, when a meeting will be held in the First Methodist church at 2 o'clock in the afternoon with the following program:

Devotions—Mrs. F. M. Martin.

Duet—Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Mrs. R. L. Finch.

Talk on County Unit Bill—Mrs. Anderson Craig.

Vocal solo—Rev. Gilbert S. Cox.

Address—Mrs. Elizabeth Emmons.

Mrs. Emmons gave a splendid talk Friday night, discussing the history and work of the W. C. T. U. and taking up the subject of equal suffrage and the county unit bill, advising a vigorous campaign by the association before the coming fall election.

Mrs. Emmons is a very fine speaker and held her audience with intense interest for two hours. A good crowd attended and twelve members were taken into the organization to revive the work in the county and get together the workers of the old association.

Mrs. Emmons is the wife of W. E. Emmons, one of the biggest farmers and Shorthorn cattle breeders in the state, and has taken an active part in the state W. C. T. U. work for a number of years. She spent Saturday at Pickering, where a local society was organized.

Visiting Daughter.

Mrs. W. H. Miller of Burlington Junction arrived in Maryville Friday from St. Joseph, where she has been visiting her son, H. W. Miller, and will spend a while here with her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Turner.

St. Joseph Folks Here.

Mrs. David Ames and daughters, Edna and Bessie, arrived Saturday from St. Joseph to spend several days as the guests of Mrs. M. A. Turner.

Called by Father's Illness.

Mrs. George McMurry has been called to Platte City, Mo., by the serious illness of her father, Dudley Messick.

A FOURTH DEATH

ROBERT COLEMAN OF HOPKINS DIES OF STOMACH TROUBLE.

THREE ARE SUDDEN

Old Settler Leaves Wife and Fourteen Children—Just Returned From Trip to Omaha.

When Robert Coleman, 69 years old, a resident of Nodaway county since 1855, died suddenly at 6 o'clock this morning of acute stomach trouble, there occurred the fourth death in the community of Hopkins within a week, three of them being sudden. Clyde Lincoln died last Monday morning of tuberculosis, William Hendry while attending the Lincoln funeral Thursday was stricken with paralysis and died the next morning, Miss Mary Simmons died Thursday afternoon while sitting in a rocking chair in her home.

Mr. Coleman had just returned to his home, one mile south of Hopkins, last night from Omaha, where he had been visiting, passing through Maryville on his way home. This morning when he awoke he complained of stomach trouble, a disease with which he has been bothered for some time. He drank a hot toddy to relieve himself, but soon began to struggle for breath and in a few moments was dead. The doctor pronounced his death due to acute stomach trouble.

The funeral will be held Monday, burial taking place in the Hopkins cemetery. Mr. Coleman, who had lived near Hopkins for twenty years, is survived by his wife and fourteen children.

Robert Coleman, son of Dr. Josiah Coleman, was born in Adair county, Illinois, January 8, 1843. In April, 1855, the family moved to Nodaway county, where Josiah Coleman laid off the town of Pickering, Mo.

In June, 1861, Robert Coleman enlisted in the army and served throughout the civil war. He was a Republican and cast his first vote for Abraham Lincoln.

He was married twice, first in the fall of 1866 to Miss Minerva Awalt, who died, leaving one child, Mary, who now lives in Denver, Col. His second marriage was to Miss Lydia M. Livasy, who, with their thirteen children, survives him. The children are Adolphus, Oliver, Edward, Walter, Joseph, Clay, Lewis, Misses Neet, Maud, Bertha, Helen and Mrs. Ray Dowling, all of whom live near Hopkins, and Mrs. Harl Scribner of Craig, Mo.

M. U. DISTINGUISHED COLLEGE.

Student May Enter U. S. Army as Second Lieutenant Each Year.

The United States war department has notified Acting President J. C. Jones that the University of Missouri has been ranked as "a distinguished college" in military science.

This gives the university the right to designate one man each year who shall receive an appointment as second lieutenant in the United States army without examination, except as to physical condition.

SWAT THE WEEDS JUNE 24-25.

Mayor and Street Committee Set Days for Lots and Parkways to be Cleaned

"We, the undersigned, Mayor and Street Committee of the city of Maryville, Mo., urgently request all citizens of this city to cut all weeds on their property and along the park-way and streets thereof, Wednesday and Thursday, June 24th and 25th, are hereby designated as a suitable time set apart for this work. Any one desiring assistance in complying with the above may phone or call at the City Hall and laborers will be furnished at a cost of 25 cents per hour. Ordered this 20th day of June, 1914.

U. S. WRIGHT, Mayor.

JNO. H. GRAY,
H. L. RAINES
J. D. FORD
Street Committee.

Entertaining Red Oak Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burnett of Red Oak, Ia., arrived in Maryville Friday night to visit for the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pettit.

Judge Sayler Home.

Judge J. H. Sayler has returned from a ten days' business trip to Spring View, Neb.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Sunday warmer north portion tonight and east portion Sunday.

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We are authorized to announce
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as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Clerk, subject to the primary election, August 4, 1914.

For Probate Judge.
We are authorized to announce
JESSE F. ROBERTSON
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for probate judge, subject to the primary election on August 4, 1914.

For Presiding Judge
We are authorized to announce
S. H. WILLIAMS
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Presiding Judge of the county court, subject to the action of the primary election, August 4.

Denver Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kane and son, John, and daughters, Helen, Mary and Anna, of Denver, Col., arrived in Maryville Friday to visit at the home of Mr. Kane's mother, Mrs. Bridget Kane, southeast of the city, and with his brother, John Kane, and family of Maryville.

SCOTCH COLLIES FOR SALE.
One handsome mature dog and one 2-year-old bitch, also puppies, both sexes, about a third grown.
F. P. ROBINSON,

St. Joseph Guests Return.

Mrs. Charles Awalt and daughters, Laveta and Alice Anita, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Awalt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Linville, have returned to their home in St. Joseph.

The Onlooker
by HENRY HOWLAND

The Cleaning of the Den

I hear the steady thumping on the carpet on the line;
There are careless people dumping books and papers that are mine;
They are tossing them and mixing them, so I shall nevermore
Get them put back in disorder as I had them fixed before.
They have gone in force and taken firm possession of my den;
They have swiped my scattered pamphlets and have burned them, ne'er again
Shall I find the tracts containing things I'd marked to read some time—
They are smoking in the alley—and the law permits the crime!
They have robbed me of the cushion that was matted in my chair;
They have put my pipes and ash-trays—well, I can't explain just where;
They are rubbing, they are scrubbing there with all their might and main,
And they shake their heads, assuming looks of sympathy and pain,
Showing that they think I'm crazy for presuming to complain.

Easy.

"How do you manage to put so much hidden meaning in your poems?" asked the enthusiastic maiden.

"Oh, it's very simple," replied the poet. "I merely fix up the rhymes in a row like this:

_____scene
_____fair
_____green
_____there

"Then I let my wife fill out the lines, and there you are."

An Easy Way Out.

"So this is your birthday? How old are you?"

"Don't you know," she indignantly replied, "that it is a sign of bad breeding to ask a lady about her age?"

"Oh, no; not in all cases. It is only unmannerly to ask how old a lady is when one has reason to believe she is old enough to be ashamed of it."

Then she invited him to sit down so they could have a nice, long visit.

Final Proof.

Miss Westlake—But are you sure that what you feel is really love? People so often make mistakes about these things, you know.

Mr. Manhattan—Ah, darling, there can be no doubt in my case. I love you so deeply that I would be willing to leave New York and live in Chicago for your sake.

HE TOLD HER THE WORST.

"Doctor," said the beautiful young woman who had become the wife of a rich old man, "tell me the worst. I will be brave and try to bear it."

Leading her gently from her suffering husband's bedside, the doctor answered:

"Nerve yourself, then, for a terrible shock. He's going to get well."

In These Glorious Days.

"You must remember that a man is innocent until he is proved guilty."

"Oh, you're too conservative. In these glorious days a man is innocent not only until he is proved guilty, but until all the courts get through trying to discover a technicality which will serve as an excuse for letting him escape from justice."

Bereft.

Why are you weeping, O little boy
They have laid your mother away.
Ay, but you hope for the heavenly joy
Of going to her some day.

Pitiful small boy, dry your tears
And join your brothers at play;
You will know your loss in the future years
When your faith is argued away.

Merely That.

"What kind of woman is she?"

"I don't like to say disagreeable things about people behind their backs, but I once heard her boast that her husband was a perfect gentleman."

Fresh From the Vaudeville.

"Do you believe in the divine right of kings?"

"I do. I held three of 'em with a pair of nines against another man's queens up on aces last night."

Not for Her.

"What do you think of this vertical handwriting?"

"Oh, I always use a plain gold pen. I never could get used to writin' with one of them verticals."

His Love.

"My love for you," he said, "is as everlasting as time, as wide as the sky and as deep as the sea."

"Yes," she answered, "and I guess it's as soft as mush."

News of Society and Women's Clubs

Some Maryville Heirlooms.

Miss Edna Dietz, one of the recent graduates of the high school, received a gift on that occasion, which is one of great pride to her and is the envy of her friends, who rejoice in the possession of heirlooms. The gift was from the graduate's grandmother, Mrs. William Bredenbeck, and is a linen piece that was one of the treasures of that lady's "hope chest," brought by her from Germany over fifty years ago. The linen was woven by the grandmother herself and embroidered by her.

Speaking of heirlooms, Mrs. J. V. Embree has one which attracted the admiration of all the guests at the meeting of the D. A. R. at her home last Saturday. It is a chair, made of walnut in the colonial style and was built one hundred years ago in the shop of Mrs. Embree's grandfather, Samuel McGrew of western Pennsylvania, who was a cabinet maker. The chair, and also a cradle which Mrs. Embree possesses has been handed down in her family for three generations.

Sunday Dinner Party.

Mrs. Anna Daniels and her daughter, Mrs. Verna Murphy will entertain a party of friends at dinner at the Daniels home Sunday, the guests including Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Loren DeMotte and son, Glen Trullinger and Harry Trullinger.

Touring Abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Dunn of Chicago, former Maryville folks, who have a large coterie of friends here, have started on a tour abroad, during which they will visit the interesting places of England, Scotland and the European countries. The Dunns sailed from New York City June 16 on the Vaterland.

Picnic and Musicale.

Tuesday evening a crowd of young folks enjoyed a picnic supper in the woods of the Busby farm. It was composed of the Misses Lucy Sturm, Stella Donahue, Chloe Busby, Nora Ellerman, Esther Busby, Ella Carey, and Alfred Sturm, Earl Sturm, Albert Sipel, Will Donahue, John Busby and Rufus Carey. After supper the crowd went to the Busby home where they were entertained with a musicale.

To Attend Peery-Garven Wedding.

Miss Sadie Yates and Miss Ella Moore will leave Saturday evening for Albany to attend the wedding Monday afternoon of Miss Wilma Peery of Albany and Mr. Gilbert Garven of Trenton. The Misses Yates and Moore are teachers in the Trenton schools, and are in Maryville attending the summer session of the Normal. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Peery and daughters will be guests at the wedding and will go to Albany Sunday.

Reception for New Comers.

A delightful reception hour was held at the Normal Friday afternoon by the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. in honor of the new comers for the summer term. Punch was served from a table decorated with mammoth clusters of sweet peas, Miss Allie Jean Fisher presiding, assisted by Miss Francyl Rickenbrode, Miss Celia Hutt, Miss Ethel Metzger, Miss Cecil Benight, Miss Marjorie Wilfley and Miss Dale Hoffman. Miss Anna Bainum furnished a delightful victrola musical program during the entertaining hour.

Small Folks Picnic.

Mrs. W. R. Tilson entertained a party of little folks with a picnic at Normal park Friday afternoon for the pleasure of her small nieces, Emolyn and Louise Markley of St. Joseph, who are visiting at her home. Mrs. Tilson was assisted by Mrs. George Wallace, Miss Alice Tilson and Miss Mayme Tilson, and the children of the party were Emolyn and Louise Markley, Gladys and Louise Wilson, Doris and Mildred Wallace, Helen Lahr, Grace Stundon, Agnes Murray, James and Maud Katherine Masters, Letha Katherine Miller, Audrey and Annette Stiwalt, and Mary and Genevieve Todd.

Welcome For the New Comers.

The reception given Friday night by the Epworth League of the First Methodist church for the summer students of the Normal, was attended by about a hundred and fifty visitors, the first part of the entertainment, consisting of a musical, given in the church auditorium. A program was given which consisted of several choruses by the choir, a piano duet by Miss LaRue Kemp and Miss Eva Rittenour, a violin solo by Miss Edith Wilson, a reading from Paul Lawrence Dunbar by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, and a chorus by the choir, "The King of Love," with violin obligato by Miss Wilson. This was followed by a general reception and social time in the League parlors and refreshments were served.

Pleasant Afternoon at Mrs. Gray's.

Mrs. W. T. Gray entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid of the Buchanan Street Methodist church and a few other friends Friday afternoon at her newly completed home on West Fourth street. The hours were passed with informal visiting and at 4 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Gray, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Johnson and Mrs. E. T. Tibbetts. Those present were Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, Mrs. Henry Thorp, Mrs. Raymond Barry and her guests, Mrs. C. A. Hallam and daughter of Dallas, Texas; Mrs. E. H. Schenck, Miss Aurene Schenck, Mrs. E. W. Willoughby, Mrs. E. T. Tibbetts, Miss Leila Tibbetts, Mrs. A. W. Wilkerson, Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Mrs. Clara Trewitt, Mrs. A. R. Estes and son, Mrs. M. E. Farrar, Mrs. Solomon Clark, Mrs. Ed Dale and Mrs. Byron Frost.

Entertain For Visiting Guest.

In compliment to her guest, Miss Mary Rose Brady of Plattsburg, Miss Marie Cook entertained a party of friends Friday night, the company including Miss Brady, Miss Veronica O'Grady, Miss Margaret Heffern, Misses Mary and Helen Tobin, Miss Grace Parle and Misses Margaret and Elizabeth Cook.

Miss Linneman to Give Dinner.

Miss Mayme Linneman kill give a 1 o'clock dinner Sunday as a courtesy to her house guest, Miss Lillian Martin of St. Joseph. Plates will be laid for Miss Martin, Miss Elizabeth Heffern, Miss Mamie Dougan, Miss Elizabeth Doran and Miss Linneman.

Entertain For Junction Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Auer entertained a number of friends Friday evening in honor of their guests, the Misses Mary and Lillian McLaughlin of Burlington Junction. A musical program was the entertainment of the early evening and this was followed by a delicious supper. Those present were the Misses McLaughlin, Miss Lucy Archer, Miss Mae Graham, Miss Martha Villing, Miss Margaret Allen, Miss Mamie Wadsworth, Miss Loretta McManus, Miss Ora McManus, Miss Rose Wilmes, Miss Christina Berg, Joseph Tom and Charles Archer, Cornelius McManus, Jonas Allen, Lawrence Remele, Frank and Arthur Auer, Tom and Leo Graham, Charles Villing, Henry Berg, Albert Gaa, Harry Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Auer.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—200. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.

Hogs—11,000. Market strong; top, $8.45. Estimate tomorrow, 25,000.

Sheep—4,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—100. Market steady.

Hogs—2,000. Market strong; top, $8.35.

Sheep—300. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—None. Market steady.

Hogs—3,600. Market strong; top, $8.35.

Sheep—4,000. Market steady.

Married by Rev. Harkness.

Harry Hale and Myrtle J. Wilfong, both of Burlington Junction, were married this afternoon by Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

Visited Father.

Leo Brown and his sister, Miss Edna Brown of Burlington Junction spent Saturday in Maryville, visiting their father, George Brown, who is at St. Francis hospital being treated for a bad case of blood poisoning.

Among Nodaway county stockmen with offerings on the market Friday were M. B. Sherlock, R. R. Brown and Rankin Bros.

Miss Myrtle Brown of Quitman is a week-end visitor at the home of Miss Beulah Hoagland of Skidmore.

JOB HEDGES.

Proposal That New York G. O. P. Hold Convention Meets With Opposition.

Photo by American Press Association.

REGINALD M'KENNA.

Home Secretary, Who Refuses to Change Tactics In Dealing With Militants.

Photo by American Press Association.

To Sunday in Maryville.

Dan Holmes of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville Saturday to spend Sunday with Mrs. Holmes, who is at St. Francis hospital recovering from an operation which she underwent about ten days ago.

Band to Play at Tarkio.

The Missouri Ladies Military band, under the direction of Miss Alma Nash, has been engaged to play at Tarkio July 4th.

Miss Grace Daugherty, who is attending the Normal, went to her home at Graham Friday evening to visit qver Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Finch of Burlington Junction spent the day Saturday visiting friends in Maryville.

Miss Donna Sisson left Saturday morning for St. Joseph to spend the day visiting friends.

Mrs. David McKee and Miss Bess McKee of Orrsburg spent Saturday visiting friends in Maryville.

HOW FRENCH PEOPLE CURE STOMACH TROUBLE

A household remedy of the French peasantry, consisting of pure vegetable oil, and said to possess wonderful merit in the treatment of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles, has been introduced in this country by George H. Mayr, who for twenty years has been one of the leading down town druggists of Chicago and who himself was cured by its use. So quick and effective is its action that a single dose is usually enough to bring pronounced relief in the most stubborn cases, and many people who have tried it declare they never heard of anything to produce such remarkable results in so short a time. It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and can now be had at almost any drug store. It is now sold here by **Pearson's Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.**

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Subject of the lesson sermon, "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force."

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Reading room open each afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock.

First Christian Church.

Sunday school at 9.30 a. m.

Communion service at 10:45 o'clock, followed by preaching at 11 o'clock. Rev. Finch will speak on "Efficiency in the Modern Church." There will be special music at all services, under the direction of H. J. Becker.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Preaching services at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "Oil For Life's Troubled Sea."

B. Y. P. U. at 7 o'clock, Miss Ora Quinn, leader.

Sermon at 8 o'clock, subject, "The Way of Forgiveness and Its Blessedness."

First M. E. Church.

Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by Rev. C. R. Haudenschield.

Epworth League at 7 o'clock.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock, with sermon by pastor. Subject, "He That Overcometh." Anthem, "Gently Lead Us," Fearis. Solo, "I Do Not Ask, O. Lord," Sprouff, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, violin obligato by Miss Edith Wilson.

Monday evening Dr. Christy will conduct the third quarterly conference.

Buchanan Street Methodist.

The Rev. J. D. Randolph, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. A full attendance is desired. It is the purpose of the superintendent to establish a new record for attendance during the summer months.

The pastor will preach at 10:45 a. m.

Epworth League at 7:00 p. m.

At the evening hour the pulpit will be occupied by Paul Prosser of St. Louis, Mo., who will speak in behalf of Central College. Mr. Prosser is an orator of unusual ability. The general public is invited to this service as well as the members of the church.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 9.45 o'clock.

Morning worship at 11. The pastor's sermon will be entitled "Why Faith Breaks Down," and the choir will sing "There Were Brought Unto Him," by Peace.

Young People's club at 7 o'clock. Miss Lois Farmer will be the leader and the subject will be "Helen Kellar —An Inspiration."

At 8 o'clock Dr. D. S. Stevens, chancellor of Kansas City university, who will be the principal speaker at the Harmony home coming, will preach. Misses Helen and Bernice Crawford will sing "Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us," by Wilson.

Holt County Sends 45 to Normal.

Forty-five of the summer school students at the Normal school are from Holt county. Thirty-six of these are women and nine are men.

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Des Moines Party Visits Parnell.

Parnell is to entertain a bunch of Des Moines business men next Thursday morning, who are going over the territory on a general trip for the purpose of getting acquainted with the people.

The party travels in its own special train and will stop at Parnell for about half an hour's visit.

Cummins Boys Home.

Eugene and Frank Cummins returned Friday night from Atchison, Kan., where both have been students at St. Benedict's college, and graduated from the High School course last week. The former is the son of Dr. K. C. Cummins and the latter of Attorney T. A. Cummins.

Visit at Chillicothe.

J. J. Barr of this city and his sister, Mrs. F. M. McCaulley of Lake City, Ia., returned Friday evening from a visit with their uncle, Mr. James Porter of Chillicothe.

Returns From Visit.

Miss Nellie Marion Smith returned Friday evening from a three days visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith, of near Wilcox.

Kansas City Guest Arrives.

Miss Kathlyn McShane of Kansas City arrived in Maryville Saturday and will visit at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Katherine Vaughn.

New York Guest

Charles A. Kerr, of New York City, will arrive in the city Saturday night to spend a few days, the guest of H. L. Haines.

PONIES FOR SALE.

Will sell handsome pair matched pure white mare ponies, weight about 600 pounds each. They are not young, but are in fine condition and sound, and have been used by children all their lives.

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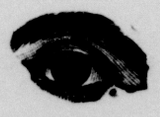

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TALBOT RE-ELECTED AS HEAD CONSUL

Modern Woodmen Insurgents Defeated In Head Camp.

Toledo, O., June 20.—The head camp of the Modern Woodmen of America re-elected A. R. Talbot of Lincoln, Neb., head consul of the society for the fifth consecutive time, together with all the administration candidates.

Talbot was re-elected over E. A. Smith of Springfield, Ill., the insurgents' candidate, 292½ to 134½.

C. W. Hawes, who has held the position of head clerk for twenty-four years, nominated James McNamara of Rock Island, Ill., who defeated Harry H. Hooker of Tecumseh, Okla., insurgent candidate. Daniel Horn of Davenport, Ia., was re-elected head adviser, and John D. Velz of Indianapolis, Ind., was chosen head banker. Other officers elected were: Head Escort, R. M. McCrackin of Grand View, Ida.; head watchman, J. L. Mayfield of Granada, Colo., re-elected; head chaplain, Rev. H. E. Dunnack of Augusta, Me.

Among the directors elected are F. P. Kerns of Des Moines, Ia.

Tonight will probably wind up the proceedings, though a great deal of business is yet to be transacted.

YALE WINS THE FOUR MILE

Sons of Eli Take Varsity Race From Harvard by Four Inches.

New London, Conn., June 20.—By a margin of four inches Yale won the varsity four mile eight-oared race on the Thames river, after a struggle which will stand out in rowing history.

Through a four mile lane of steam yachts and motor boats the sixteen crew men toiled at the Crimson and Blue tipped oars as no galley slave ever labored under the lash, while thousands of spectators shrieked hysterically.

When the knifelike prows of the racing shells had cut past the final line of flags and the oarsmen dropped with heaving chests, few of the thousands knew whether victory had perched upon the bow of the Yale or the Harvard racing craft.

Slowly the Harvard colors began to sink as the judges shouted across the water that Yale had won its first varsity race in seven years by less than a foot in twenty-one minutes, sixteen seconds, with Harvard crossing the line one-fifth of a second later.

MOYER ON THE JOB IN BUTTE

Presides Over Meeting of Conservative Faction of Local.

Butte, Mont., June 20.—Each faction of the Butte local of the Western Federation of Miners held committee meetings.

The meeting of the conservatives of the local was presided over by Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who came here with the avowed purpose of putting the local union on a sound business basis and keeping it from withdrawing from the jurisdiction of the federation.

The seceders made arrangements for a hall that will seat 5,000 for their meeting tomorrow, at which their plan of future action will be disclosed.

Mr. Moyer was accompanied here by James Lord, in charge of the mining department of the American Federation of Labor, who left his official duties in Trinidad, Colo. The aid of the United Mine Workers of America was pledged to Mr. Moyer in the telegram from John P. White, president of the organization.

Inquiry Into Bond Issue of Nicaragua.

Washington, June 20.—A telegram from Brown Brothers and Seligman & Co., New York bankers, read in the senate on presentation by Senator O'Gorman and denying they had profited excessively by Nicaraguan bond issues, brought out a demand from Senator Smith of Michigan that the bond issues be investigated.

The Weather.

Fair and warmer.

Whether you do the washing for a big family or for just the two of you, it is a hard piece of work.

Anty Drudge Loves to See People Happy

Anty Drudge—"Why, my dear, was that your pretty voice I heard as I came along? I am so glad that you have time to practice your music; so many young brides let it go after they get married."

Mrs. Justwed—"Well, Anty Drudge, to tell the truth, after I had done my washing the old-fashioned way for a few weeks, just after I was married, I was so tired and worn out with the heat I hadn't the heart to practice. But since I use Fels-Naptha Soap for all my housework I get through so soon that I feel happy enough to sing."

Imagine having no hard rubbing to do, no hot fire to keep up, no steaming boiler to add to the heat of your kitchen. Wouldn't that make washday seem almost pleasant?

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FINDING A HIRED MAN.

Jewell Mayes, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, Offers to Help Farmers.

Secretary Jewell Mayes proposes to help solve the hired help problem for Missouri farmers. With the hearty approval of the state board of agriculture he has set about finding a man for the job and a job for the man. It is not so difficult a matter to secure help as it is to get men who are not only capable but decent and trustworthy. The man who is employed on a farm must be taken into the home life of his employer. It is a far different proposition than that confronting the city man, who hires help and puts his men under a trained foreman. The laborer may be a drunkard or a crook, but he must give efficient service while on the job or pass on and make room for another.

In every city are men who have had farm training and would be glad to get back to the soil if the right inducement was made. These are the men that Labor Commissioner John Fitzpatrick hopes to send to the farmers who ask help from Secretary Mayes. In every section of the state there are also men and women trained along special lines of agriculture, dairying or fruit growing, who would be glad to locate where there is permanent work and possibility of advancement. It's a fine thing, this idea of getting the job and the man together. If you need temporary or permanent help on the farm, write to Jewell Mayes, Columbia, Mo., and tell him just what you want and what you have to offer. Mr. Mayes will take the matter up with Commissioner Fitzpatrick, who is working in hearty co-operation, and you will be given the names of men who might meet your especial demands. No "floater" is to be sent to the country. Clean, capable men who can give good reference are on the farm help list.—Missouri Ruralist.

Bulgarian in School.

Peter D. Yankoff, a Bulgarian, is in this vicinity canvassing for a book entitled "Household Discoveries." Mr. Yankoff came to this country eight years ago, with no money, but with the determination of educating himself. He could not speak a word of English, but he had vim, energy and perseverance, and soon succeeded in finding an opening to enter Park college, at Parkville, Mo.

He spent one year there learning to speak our language and the American ways. He then commenced his pursuit for an education, and a few weeks ago was graduated from that institution, having worked his way through.

He is now working to secure means to attend a medical college, so that he can return to his native country as a medical missionary.—Clearmont News.

Mr. Mergen Up Town.

Peter Mergen, who had been at the St. Francis hospital the past five weeks having undergone an operation there, was up town for the first time. He is feeling much better and will leave the hospital Monday.

G. H. Colbert to Speak in St. Joseph.

Dean George H. Colbert of the Normal school went to St. Joseph to address the rural graduates of Buchanan county.

THE ORIGIN OF "SHOW ME."

Matt Knapp Tells How the Phrase Started—Grew Out of Marriage Laws.

"You'll have to show me—I'm from Missouri."

How often you have heard that phrase, and—incidentally, how tired you have grown of it. But maybe there was a time when you wondered where it originated.

Matt Knapp, a secret service detective, says it grew out of the enactment of the Missouri marriage laws. Prior to 1881, Missouri had about the zero in marriage laws, Mr. Knapp says. Any couple who had the inclination and could find a justice of the peace, or a preacher, could join hands for better or for worse, and didn't have to say anything to the state about it.

No questions were asked as to ages, or consent of parents, and unwilling justices and preachers seldom were found. Other adjoining states strove to get Missouri to pass some state marriage laws, because young people from Kansas, Iowa and other states could step across the line, holler at a justice and be married in hurry up style, and there was no state regulation of it.

In 1881 a law was passed making it a misdemeanor for a preacher or a justice to marry persons not having a state license, and setting the age of marriageable women at 18 years. If the applicant for license did not know the age of the bride-elect, he had to produce her to the license clerk and let him judge her age.

When the applicant went back after the girl, she asked the reason, of course, why she had to go along to get the license. When told that the law required her exhibition, she remarked: "Oh, you've got to show me, have you?"

This occurred many times during the first year or so of the law's effectiveness, and became a by-word, according to Mr. Knapp.

Rains Spoiled Their Fishing.

For one reason the men of Guilford did not like the recent rains, and that is because they spoiled the fishing. Before the rains the water in the Platte river was so low that it trapped the fish in the pools. The men would go to the river and pull the fish out with their hands. They caught from 50 to 150 pounds every time they went.

Lee Hoyt Thought to Be Insane.

Lee Hoyt of Chillicothe, tried three times for the murder of his father and acquitted, has acted so strangely since then that his relatives had him taken to the hospital for the insane at St. Joseph. He was refused admittance there because the papers were not made out correctly, but they will be righted at once. The three Hoyt trials cost the state $3,892.05.

Returns From oCin.

John Shaw returned Friday from Coin, Ia., where he was called to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, A. R. McMichael. Mrs. Shaw will return home Sunday evening.

Arrives From Kansas City.

Miss Pearl Snapp arrived Friday night from Kansas City to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. John Snapp.

Program at the Fern Next Week.

Monday—The Lady of the Lake, Sir Walter Scott's poem in three reels. This is a special feature. Hogan's Alley is the comedy.

Tuesday—The Squaw Man, in six parts, with Dustin Farnan in the leading role. There will be two shows, starting at 7:30 and 9 o'clock. This is one of the big things of the season.

Wednesday—Zingo, the third of this series. Pa and Ma Elope is the comedy.

Thursday—The Speeder's Revenge, Vitagraph drama; The Tell Tale Star, Lubin drama; Kid Pink and the Maharajah is the comedy.

Hearst's Selig Pictorial will start Friday, taking the place of the Pathe Weekly; His Wife, Lubin drama.

Saturday—Silent Trails, Vitagraph drama; When the Cartridges Failed, Edison; Sophie's Birthday Party, a comedy.

Remember, Tuesday The Squaw Man with Dustin Farnan in the leading role. Six big reels made by the All Stars.

Monday—The Lady of the Lake, Sir Walter Scott's beautiful poem in three big reels.

Two months ago the Barmann Auto Co. had twenty-two new cars on the floor. They have been out of cars for over a week now and are putting forth every effort to get more. Ford orders are piling up fast. Those who want Ford cars in the next few weeks must get their orders in now.

Harold and Frank Roelofson are visiting at Savannah with their sister, Mrs. Paul Sawyers.

CULTIVATING TIME

Remember the Farmers Trust Company Corn Prizes—$300.00 in Gold to Nodaway County Boys. Any boy in the county under 20 years of age is eligible to compete.

The season for cultivating corn is now in full swing and Nodaway county boys should keep in mind the liberal prizes offered by the Farmers' Trust Company of Maryville. These prizes are offered for the largest acre yield and will be awarded under rules similar to those of the Nodaway County Corn Show. The Prizes follows:

First Prize - $50.00

Second	$45.00	Ninth	$10.00
Third	40.00	Tenth	5.00
Fourth	35.00	Eleventh	5.00
Fifth	30.00	Twelfth	5.00
Sixth	25.00	Thirteenth	5.00
Seventh	20.00	Fourteenth	5.00
Eighth	15.00	Fifteenth	5.00

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S. M. Lincoln Improving.

S. M. Lincoln of near Orrsburg, who has been at a Rochester, Minn, sanitarium for the past two months, continues to improve. He expects to remain several months longer until his health is entirely regained.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Leaves For Nebraska Home.

Mrs. William Crawford of Nebraska City, Neb., who has been the guest of Mr and Mrs. Charles McNeal for the past week, returned to her home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMullen of Ravenwood were in Maryville yesterday.

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HUNDREDS OF MINERS BURIED

Blast Entombs 250 Men in Alberta Colliery.

FIFTY PERSONS ARE RESCUED

Only Fourteen of These Now Alive and Hope of Saving Workers Below Surface Has Been Abandoned—Victims Trapped by Explosion.

Lethbridge, Alberta, June 20.—An explosion entombed 250 miners employed in mine No. 20 of the Hillcrest collieries. Of the fifty rescued, only fourteen have survived. Despite efforts of the two score mine experts laboring amid the poisonous gases and debris hope of rescuing alive the 200 men yet in the mine is waning.

The effects of the disaster were:

Men in mine when explosion occurred, 600, of whom 350 escaped.

Number rescued, fifty, of whom thirty-six died later.

Miners still entombed, 200, probably killed by fire which followed the explosion.

A silent group of wives and mothers stood at the mouth of the mine, which had been closed by the explosion, still hopeful that rescues would be made.

The explosion shook the countryside for miles, lifted the roofs of many miners' cabins and demolished numerous small buildings. A moment after the explosion a score of panic stricken surface workers rushed from the mine, followed by a dense cloud of smoke and poisonous fumes.

When the first rescue crew arrived a large force of men set about to clear the shaft. Thousands of tons of rock have fallen into the mine and it is feared that the men, even had they escaped death from the poisonous fumes, probably were crushed to death by the falling debris.

Mine Chief Buried.

Thomas Quigley, superintendent of the mine, is among those entombed.

Two trains filled with expert mine workers, doctors, nurses and officials of railways arrived and the work of a systematic rescue was begun. As rescue parties entered the mine they found jumbled in a chaotic mass horses, timbers, wagons and mining paraphernalia, the scene being indicative of the force of the explosion.

Fire broke out soon after the explosion, but almost immediately died out, although gas fumes made it impossible for the men to work effectively for several hours.

The explosion tore out both ends of the pit and blocked the interior of the workings, making it almost impossible to gain entrance. Most of the miners were working about 400 feet inside the mine.

A majority of the men are foreign-born, but a large number of them are English speaking.

RUSSIAN LAWYERS IN JAIL

Twenty-five Sentenced For Protesting Against Beilis Trial.

St. Petersburg, June 20.—The trial of twenty-five lawyers on a charge of insulting the ministry of justice during the trial of Mendel Beilis ended in the conviction of all the defendants. Two of them, Sokolaff and M. Kereuski, were sentenced to eight months' imprisonment and the others to terms of six months each.

At the time of the trial of Beilis the lawyers drew up a strong protest, in which it was alleged that the ministry of justice and the court at Kiev before which Beilis was tried were inspired by racial and national enmity.

The sentence imposed on the lawyers deprives them of their political rights, but does not interfere with their civil rights. The court room was crowded with members of the duma and other public men.

M. Bobritcheff, one of the advocates, was called to order by the president of the court when he declared that the trial was a miscarriage of justice and that all honorable men had been indignant over the proceedings in the trial of Beilis.

POLICE INSPECTOR SLAIN

Shot Down by Man Sought For Murder of Three.

Boston, June 20.—Police Inspector Thomas F. Norton was killed and Lawrence Robinson, said to be wanted in Grand Rapids, Mich., for triple murder, was seriously wounded in a running fight which followed Norton's attempt to arrest Robinson.

Two other police inspectors and a companion of Robinson, Joseph Daniels, joined in the firing, which started in a restaurant in the business section and ended in the crowded street outside. Half a hundred shots were fired. Daniels was captured.

Jury In Spurgeon Case "Hung."

Denver, June 20.—The jury at the second trial of Robert Owen, charged with nine others with the abduction and robbery of Rev. Otis L. Spurgeon of Des Moines, Ia., reported a disagreement, and was discharged. The third trial of the case was set for July 6.

New York Sails For Europe.

New York, June 20.—The American line steamship New York, damaged last Saturday in a collision with the liner Pretoria, sailed for Southampton after having been repaired. It carries 615 cabin passengers and nearly $3,000,000 in gold and silver for Europe.

WILLIAM F. M'COMBS.

Said National Chairman Will Be Law Partner Of Justice Dowling.

Photo by American Press Association.

BRANDEIS IS NOT SATISFIED

Criticises Bill Giving Board Power Over Issuing Certificates.

Washington, June 20.—The house bill giving the interstate commerce commission supervisory powers over the issue of railroad securities was criticised before the senate interstate commerce committee by Louis D. Brandeis of Boston. His views were not at all in accord with those expressed previously by members of the commission, which to a large degree has approved the house bill.

The house bill would give the commission power to approve securities issues, but would not prohibit specifically any particular issue. Mr. Brandeis proposed to prohibit regulations in any business other than that of carrier and forbid them to issue any securities at all except for the betterment or extension of the railroad property. This provision he urged to curb the desire of railroads to go into coal mining, hotel and other businesses not purely that of carriers. Mr. Brandeis offered an amendment to the house bill incorporating these suggestions.

REVIEW OF TRADE

Confidence Remains Unshaken and Volume of Trade Very Steady.

New York, June 20.—Dun's Review of Trade says:

Confidence remains unshaken and while conditions are not wholly satisfactory yet the volume of trade is very steady. The promise of bountiful harvests is the factor of most weight. Worsted mills are busy and some manufacturers of woolens are actively engaged, with prices steady because of the firmness of raw wool. On the whole, business in footwear continues backward and generally unsatisfactory, although evidences of improvement are not entirely lacking. Conflicting reports are received as to conditions in iron and steel, but the situation has nevertheless improved.

Failures for the week are 333, against 264 last year.

Dyer Is Unseated by House.

Washington, June 20.—L. C. Dyer of St. Louis, Republican, representing the Twelfth Missouri district, was unseated by the house by a vote of 147 to 98. His election was contested by Michael J. Gill, Democrat. Then by a vote of 126 to 108 a resolution declaring Gill legally elected was adopted. Mr. Gill immediately took the oath of office.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, June 20.—Closing prices: Wheat—July, 83⅜c; Sept., 81⅞c.
Corn—July, 69½c; Sept., 67⅝c.
Oats—July, 39⅞c; Sept., 38⅝c.
Pork—July, $20.70; Sept., $20.10.
Lard—July, $10.12½; Sept., $10.30.
Ribs—July, $11.52½; Sept., $11.55.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 88¾@89¼c; No. 2 corn, 70½@71c; No. 3 white oats, 40@40¾c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; firm; beeves, $7.35@9.35; western steers, $6.80@8.15; stockers and feeders, $6.10@8.10; cows and heifers, $3.60@8.80; calves, $7@10.25. Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; strong and 5c higher; bulk of sales, $8.30@8.40; light, $8.10@8.37½; heavy, $7.95@8.40; rough, $7.95@8.10; pigs, $7.15@7.90. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; slow; sheep, $5.30@6.40; yearlings, $6.40@7.50; lambs, $6.50@8.50; springs, $7@9.75.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, June 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 500; steady; beef steers, $7.50@9; cows and heifers, $4@8.35; stockers and feeders, $6.50@8; bulls, $5.75@7.70; calves, $7@11. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; 5c higher; bulk of sales, $8.15@8.20; top, $8.25. Sheep—Receipts, 4,500; shade higher; lambs, $8.25@9.65; wethers, $5.85@6.30; ewes, $5.50@6.

MEDIATION IS NEAR COLLAPSE

Negotiations End Unless Mexican Delegates Yield.

DEADLOCK OVER PRESIDENT.

Lamar's Memorandum Saying United States Must Insist on Acceptance of Its Plan Is Ultimatum—Naon Talks Hopefully.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 20.—Justice Lamar's memorandum to Emilio Rabasa, head of the Mexican delegation, announcing that the United States "must insist" on the acceptance of its plan for the pacification of Mexico, is an ultimatum. Unless the Huerta delegates yield, mediation will end Monday.

This is the firm determination of the United States as it was conveyed to the mediators. Ambassador Da Gama of Brazil and Minister Suarez of Chile asked the American delegates if their position had changed in view of the Carranza-Villa split and the reply was in the negative.

It was an informal talk, but served to advise the mediators that the published statements of the American and Huerta delegates, with their opposite views on the type of man to be selected for provisional president, defined the unalterable attitude of the American government.

Just what the policy of the United States would be in the event of the failure of mediation or what disposition it would make of the American troops at Vera Cruz is unknown even to the American delegates.

The Huerta commissioners say they do not know what course of action General Huerta may pursue. Those conversant with the American viewpoint, however, believe President Wilson is determined that inasmuch as there could not be pacification in Mexico unless the Constitutionalist accepted any plan that might be adopted here, the interests of peace would not be conserved by a continuance of mediation negotiations.

Naon Talks Hopefully.

Washington, June 20.—Hope that the wavering mediation program still might bring peace to Mexico was expressed here by Argentine Minister Naon as he took the train for Niagara Falls after conferences with President Wilson and Secretary Bryan and Luis Cabrera of the Washington agency of the Constitutionalists.

EXCURSION BOAT GOES DOWN

At First Thought to Have Carried Hundreds of Passengers.

St. Louis, June 20.—A report that an excursion steamer with several hundred passengers aboard struck the new water tower in course of construction in the center of the Mississippi river, just north of here, and sank in a few minutes later, reached harbor officials this morning. Police officers and boats were sent up the river to investigate.

The report originated with a watchman along the river front, who reported he had seen the accident.

The Eagle Packet company claimed the boat was their Majestic, carrying several hundred girl operators of the Bell Telephone company.

According to the watchman, who first told the story, the boat sank soon after striking the tower. Newspaper men declared they could discern a few people hanging from the rigging.

The owners of the line later declared the Majestic, though an excursion boat, carried no passengers.

MAY TAKE FEDS INTO FOLD

Rumors That Organized Baseball Will Surrender.

New York, June 20.—Although representatives of organized baseball were here in numbers, presumably to consider ways and means of offsetting Federal league opposition, there was little evidence of serious consideration of the question by the magnates.

Various rumors were in circulation as to the probable action to be taken.

That out of war peace might be evolved was one persistent report. The peace plan contemplated, it was said, involved satisfying most of the demands of the American association and International league, which wish to be raised to the major league status by the abolishment of the draft rule and composing the opposition of the Federals by taking them into the ranks of organized baseball.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Federal League.

Baltimore, 4; Kansas, 5.
Brooklyn, 8; St. Louis, 6.

American League.

Boston, 2; Chicago, 3.
Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 6.
Washington, 2; Detroit, 3.

National League.

St. Louis, 5; Boston, 7.
Cincinnati, 0; New York, 6.
Chicago, 8; Philadelphia, 7.

Western League.

Sioux City, 2; Omaha, 6.
Lincoln, 0; Topeka, 1.
Des Moines, 4; St. Joseph, 2.
Wichita, 9; Denver, 3.

Nebraska State League.

Hastings, 4; Grand Island, 6.
York, 6; Kearney, 7.
Superior, 1; Norfolk, 4.
Beatrice, 3; Columbus, 4.

WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

FOR SALE—Two good milch cows. Call at this office. 18-20

FOR SALE—Two mules, team of horses. Phone 422 Skidmore. 15-22

FOR SALE—Good mandolin. Call 6457 Hanamo. 19-22

STANDARD PLUMBING CO., permanently of Maryville. Honest plumbing at honest prices. Some worse, none better.

FOR RENT—To small family lower No. 120 East Edward st., possession June 15. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A binder as good as new. Call C. G. Partridge, Hanamo 667. 19-26

FOR SALE—Sweet potato plants. C. A. Wilson, Main street, north city limits. 19-22

Ryks Plumbing Co., formerly of Omaha. Hanamo 279 Up-to-date first class plumbing. South side square. 21-t

FOUND—Something of value; claimant may have same by return ad satisfactorily identifying same and paying for notice. 18-20

FOR SALE—A fine young Jersey cow. R. R. 5, box 6; Tel. Hanamo 231. C. E. Jones. 19-22

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5-passenger Reo automobile, first class condition. Telephone or write Fred Wallace, Burlington Junction, Mo. 18-20

IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME—See Dr. Becker for cleaning and pressing The Clothes Doctor, at 209½ North Main.

FOR SALE—Two Jersey cows, one fresh, other fresh in few days. Good ones. See Burt M. Rowley at Real Estate bank. 20-23

Harry Palmer Arrested.

Harry Palmer, a young colored boy, was locked up in the county jail yesterday by Sheriff Ed Wallace and will now lay out his fine which he received last fall for gaming. Harry agreed to pay the fine, but after paying some of it, left town and just arrived back yesterday.

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Next Excursion July 7th

COME AND GO WITH US AND SEE THIS COUNTRY

(Read the Gingrich letter in May 18 issue, he is on the land)

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Does Your Watch, Clock or Jewelry Need Repairing?
All Work Guaranteed
Prices Reasonable
CRANE'S
We Regulate Your Watch Free

Remember The Old
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4th and Fillmore Sts,
And are better equipped than ever before, to protect you against loss by Fire, Windstorm, Hail, Automobile, Burglary, Health or Accident. Always at your service. Phone 22.
Chas. Hyslop

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

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VOLUME 5. MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1914. NO. 15.

Y. M. C. A. PLANS

CARTHAGE ASSOCIATION IS SIMILAR TO ONE WANTED HERE.

MAINTAINS DORMITORY

Built Three Years Ago at Cost of $42,000—Is Out of Debt and Nearly Self-Supporting.

Carthage, Mo., has a Y. M. C. A. that is organized on practically the same plan as the one proposed for a Y. M. C. A. here. Carthage is a city of about 10,000 persons, and the Y. M. C. A., which dedicated a $42,000 building three years ago, last year came within a small margin of being self-supporting. However, it was still in debt, a factor which has now been wiped out, and from now on the organization is expected to be self-supporting.

S. H. Kemp, chairman of the Y. M. C. A. committee here, has just received the last annual report of the Carthage organization, and it contains several interesting facts about the association.

The building and grounds cost $42,000. The building is 50x100 feet with three stories and a basement, a slightly larger one than is proposed for Maryville. It contains, of course, reading rooms, a meeting hall, gymnasium and swimming pool. In addition there are thirty rooms in the two upper floors of the building which are used for dormitory purposes.

Dormitory Feature is Successful.

The dormitory feature has proved one of the best things about the Carthage association. The city has no schools such as the Normal school here, nor any factories, yet every one of the rooms are rented and there is a large waiting list. The rooms rent for from $7.50 to $10 a month, furnished. The men who rent the rooms are entitled to the privileges of the building, baths, swimming pool, and all the other features, but they are not required to become members of the Y. M. C. A. nor attend any of the religious services unless they want to. A dormitory is planned in connection with the proposed building here.

Membership is divided into five classes. First there is the junior class, the members of which are boys from 12 to 15 years old. The yearly membership fee for this class is $5. The intermediate class consists of boys from 15 to 18 years old, and their fee is $6 a year. The senior class is composed of men over 18 years old, and they are required to pay a fee of $10 a year.

Then there are two special classes. One is for men over 18 years old who want the social privileges and baths only. A fee of $5 is required of them. During the summer months a special class is organized for boys from 9 to 12 years old. This class meets under the supervision of a trained instructor once a week, and the boys are given lessons in swimming and gymnastic exercises. The fee for membership in this class is $2.

The association is planning the organization of a new class for high school students to begin next year. The students will be given the privileges of the gymnasium and will receive regular instruction. The work done in the Y. M. C. A. will be counted as a regular part of their high school course.

Thousands Use Building.

The record of attendance shows how popular the organization is there. In the gymnasium classes there were 162 boys and 216 men. In attendance at the building were 1,782 boys and 2,476 men. Of non-members who used the gymnasium there were 1,500 boys and 400 men. Swimming was taught to 45 boys and 20 men, and 6,200 boys and 4,100 men used the swimming pool.

The association gives an entertainment and lecture course every year.

A secretary is employed at a salary of $1,500 a year. The janitor is paid $75 a month, and a matron is kept at a salary of $60 a month. At the end of the first year the association was $1,200 behind its expenses, but it is now a practically self-supporting organization.

W. R. Spencer, secretary of the Carthage Y. M. C. A., in writing to Mr. Kemp, said that he would want but two changes made in the organization as it now is in Carthage. One is to construct the building so that the apartments for men and boys are permanently separated. The other is that tennis courts or athletic fields should be on the same grounds with the building.

Barmann Auto company sold a Ford touring car to S. C. Curnutt of this city Friday.

ENTERTAINED AT SUPPER.

Party of Maryville Men Had Feast at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gex in Hughes Township.

A party composed of W. F. Phares, George Robb Ellison, R. B. Montgomery, F. P. Reuillard, James Todd, J. F. Hull, Harvey Haines, Edward Keck, R. P. Hosmer, George Pat Wright, Arch Frank, Joseph Jackson, Jr., went in cars yesterday afternoon to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gex, where they were their guests for supper. Everything good to eat was had and the prize for eating the most went to Mr. Frank.

TO SPEAK AT M. E. CHURCH SOUTH

Paul Prosser, of St. Louis Will Occupy Pulpit Tomorrow Night and Talk About Central College.

Paul Prosser, a St. Louis lawyer, will occupy the pulpit of the Buchanan Street Methodist Church tomorrow night and talk to the congregation about Central College.

Mr. Prosser has been selected by Dr. Linn, president of Central College, to present the claims of the school to the people. In writing to the Rev. J. D. Randolph, pastor of the Church here, Doctor Linn says: "Too much cannot be said of the ability of Mr. Prosser to hold the interest and attention of his audience."

HANDSOME PRIZE OFFERED.

County Sunday School Committee to Give Fine Premium for Largest Delegation.

The county Sunday school committee, at its meeting Friday, decided to offer a handsome banner to the Sunday school having the largest per cent of its enrollment registered at the county convention to be held at Burlington Junction, July 28 and 29.

The Burlington Junction schools are barred, giving an even chance to all the other Sunday schools of the county. The prospects indicate the attendance of an unusually big crowd at the convention. Railroad and automobile parties are being formed and every school in the county will have a good representation.

DEMOTT WILL NOT BE DEPUTY

County Clerk Denies Rumors He Will Be Connected With Office If Yeomans is Elected.

In the following public letter County Clerk Demott denies that he will be a deputy in that office if Fred Yeomans is elected.

"To The Public: Having learned that there are rumors abroad to the effect that in the event Fred Yeomans is nominated and elected county clerk I will be a deputy in that office, I desire to say that such rumors are entirely without foundation.

I have been honored by our people with two terms of the office of County Clerk, during which period I have endeavored to serve them faithfully and to the best of my ability. I want to assure the people of Nodaway county that I appreciate what they have done for me, and the honors conferred on me in the past, and to express to them my grateful thanks for the same. I want to assure them further that when my term of office expires December 1, 1914, my connection with that office will entirely cease.

GEORGE W. DEMOTT."

President Blagg Talks at Normal.

President W. A. Blagg of the Normal school board of regents was a visitor at school Friday and gave a short talk to the students during the assembly hour.

Mr. Blagg paid a very high tribute to the Normal school by saying that the internal organization of the school was better at the present time than it had ever been.

The emphasis of special training was stressed by the speaker in his talk.

"Many schools," said Mr. Blagg, "are ruined by good scholars who are poor teachers. Don't cut across lots. When you have given the full measure of your efforts for a year don't relax, but prepare yourself to give even greater service than before."

S. S. Class Back From Fishing Trip.

The Rev. J. D. Randolph of the Buchanan Street Methodist church and his Sunday school class returned last night from a fishing trip on the Nodaway river. The party left Maryville last Monday and camped about three miles south of Skidmore. Only mediocre luck was reported by the fishermen. The members of the class who made the trip are: Harry Seiler, Wilson Seiler, Elmer Seiler, Creston Maul, Russell Bagby and Charley Seiler.

Iowa Guests Return Home.

Mrs. F. M. McCaulley and daughter, Grace, who have been the guests of Mrs. McCaulley's brother, J. J. Barr and family, south of the city, left Saturday morning for their home.

EARLY ELOPERS

GLENN BREEDLOVE AND BEUHLA KIDD WED THIS MORNING.

HER FATHER OBJECTS

Each is 19—They Got License at 4:30 A. M. and Were Married by the Rev. L. M. Hale.

John Kidd of Bedison was just too late this morning to stop the marriage of his 19-year-old daughter, Beuhla, who eloped with Glenn Breedlove, also just 19 years old, the son of J. L. Breedlove, who lives southeast of Maryville.

The couple met early this morning and at 4:30 o'clock awoke Recorder J. Arthur Wray, who came to town with them and issued them a marriage license. As the young man had the consent of his father and the girl was of legal age, Mr. Wray thought nothing of the matter at the time.

From the recorder's office Mr. Breedlove and Miss Kidd went to the home of the Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, where they were married.

Not long after that Mr. Wray received a telephone message from John Kidd asking him not to issue a license to the couple. When Mr. Wray told him that the license had been issued already he immediately called up Sheriff Wallace to try to get the wedding stopped, but it was too late, and, as the bride was more than 18 years old, the sheriff could do nothing.

Mrs. Breedlove went back to her father this afternoon to try to reconcile him to the marriage and get his forgiveness. The young couple will live at the home of the bridegroom's father, J. L. Breedlove.

LANGSDORF TO LEAVE.

Will Go to Plattsburg to Be Associated With Clothing Firm.

Herbert Langsdorf, who has been in Maryville the past year, employed by Berney Harris, will leave that firm next month and will go to Plattsburg, where he will be associated with the Swike Mercantile company. Mr. Langsdorf and his family will leave here about July 20.

A. Swike, who is head of the Swike company, is a son-in-law of M. Nusbaum of this city.

Basket Dinner at Monroe Church.

The members of Monroe church, near Ravenwood, will give a big basket dinner tomorrow. The Rev. Ransford will preach at the morning service, and the Rev. J. D. Randolph of Maryville will deliver an address in the afternoon.

To Visit Sick Son.

Daniel Lynch left at noon Saturday for Ford City to visit his son, J. D. Lynch, who has been ill for some time.

POPULAR MUSIC

MORE BANDS AND SINGERS FOR THIS YEAR'S CHAUTAUQUA.

PRINT PROGRAM SOON

But One More Attraction to Be Booked to Complete the List of Talent.

With the booking of one more attraction, which the Chautauqua management has yet to do, the completed program will be prepared for publication and the books be ready for distribution about July 1.

This summer's program includes some of the finest entertainments on the Chautauqua circuit and will include more musical numbers than any previous program. There will be just as many high grade lectures and readings, but these will be interspersed with an extra list of musicals.

In securing these musical numbers, the management has catered to the popular demand and secured talent that will meet with the highest approval of every one.

On the opening Saturday and Sunday the Dixie Jubilee Singers will appear again. These singers were at the Maryville Chautauqua four years ago and were one of the most pleasing companies of the week.

On Monday and Tuesday the Avon Sketch club will furnish the entertainment feature. This company not only gives music, but appear in several sketches of song and story.

De Lano's Marine band will give a program Wednesday. This band has been heard by a number of Maryville people who recommend it highly.

The musical part of Thursday and Friday will be given by the Alber Octet, who give their numbers in costume and also appear in several illustrated songs and tableaux.

The music for the last two days of the entertainment has not yet been secured but several high grade attractions are under advisement. In addition to the outside list of musicians, the Maryville band is to give several programs and several of the city's best singers are also to be heard.

Rev. Haudenschield to Preach

Rev. C. R. Haudenschield, of Los Angeles, Cal., who is in Maryville for the summer, will preach tomorrow morning at the First Methodist church at the regular hour of service. Rev. Haudenschield and his wife and daughter are spending the summer at the home of Mrs. Haudenschield's mother, Mrs. J. V. Embree.

Leave For Eastern Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lowry of Holdridge, Neb., who have been visiting the Tom Hallowell and J. S. Clark families, left Friday for an extended eastern trip of several weeks before returning to their home.

Attendance at Church of Representative Men More Powerful Than Sermons

MEN should GO TO CHURCH.

What is the matter with our men? They are quick to proclaim their faith in God. They will strongly resent the intimation that they are nonbelievers. Yet when they are asked why they don't attend church they are ever ready with an excuse. If the leading men in this community, one and all, would start right now to attend church regularly their example would be all powerful. Their continued attendance would be more effective than a dozen sermons.

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IT IS NO EXAGGERATION TO SAY THAT 75 PER CENT OF THE REGULAR CHURCHGOERS TODAY ARE WOMEN. A HUSBAND WILL TAKE PRIDE IN HIS WIFE GOING TO CHURCH. IN FACT, HE WILL ENCOURAGE ALL HER CHURCH ACTIVITIES. IT IS RIGHT THAT HE SHOULD. IT IS ALSO RIGHT, AND ONLY JUST, TOO, THAT HE SHOULD BE SEEN IN CHURCH. SURELY THERE IS NOTHING THAT HE NEED FEAR IN THE HOUSE OF WORSHIP. SOME ARE QUICK TO CRITICISE THE PREACHER. IT WILL BE SAID THAT HIS SERMONS ARE DRY. AGAIN IT WILL BE SAID THAT HE IS SENSATIONAL IN HIS METHODS. THE READING OF THE GOSPEL OF THE DAY, THE WORD OF GOD, IS NEVER DRY. NEITHER IS IT SENSATIONAL.

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It is true that we live in a rapid fire age. It is true that minutes count. It is true that the calls of business and social activities are pressing. But no man is too busy, none so much in demand but that he can arrange to spend a small part of Sunday in church. There isn't a man who attends church but feels better after the service. CHURCHGOING IS UPLIFTING. It takes our mind off the fleeting things of this world. CHURCHGOING is not far removed from the sublime.

GO TO CHURCH next Sunday!

GO TO CHURCH the following Sunday!

GO TO CHURCH every Sunday!

INJURED MAN DIED TODAY.

Grant Freeman, Ravenwood Farmer, Was Crushed by a Log a Week Ago.

Grant Freeman, who met with an accident a week ago Friday while he and his 14-year-old son were loading some logs at the Lew Messner farm to be taken to the Charley Farr sawmill, located on the John Davis place, near Ravenwood, died this morning at 9:45 o'clock at his home, four miles southeast of Ravenwood.

The funeral service will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Monroe church, near Atlanthus.

Mr. Freeman had fixed up a hoisting arrangement to which a horse was hitched to pull the logs up on the wagon, which for time worked successfully.

Mr. Freeman had applied the ropes to a large oak log, eight feet long and twenty inches through, and started the horse to pull it up, the boy was driving and Mr. Freeman was steadying one end of the log as it was slowly being drawn up into the wagon, and just as the log was about ready to fall on the wagon, in some manner the rope either slipped or broke, the log started back down, caught Mr. Freeman on the shoulder, knocking him down, the log rolled over his right side almost crushing him as it went. He was picked up and taken to the home of George Goodson, Dr. Hunterson was immediately called, and after a thorough examination satisfied himself that no bones were broken, but that Mr. Freeman was suffering from internal injuries.

Mr. Freeman was born in Grant City, Mo., seventy-five years ago. He was married January 1, 1883, to Miss Idaville Gooden, daughter of Cooper Gooden of Maryville. Nine children were born to them, three of whom died in infancy. The others, who, with Mrs. Freeman, survive him, are: Vern, Gladys, Edis, Howard, Elsie and Emma. Mr. Freeman is also survived by four sisters, Mrs. Roy Barker of Grant City, Mrs. Lee Reece of Albany, Mo.; Mrs. Cora Davis of Darlington, Mo., and Miss Rachel Freeman of Colorado Springs, Col.

W. C. T. U. ORGANIZED.

Mrs. Emmons, State Organizer, Heard by a Large Crowd Friday Night.

Following the talk of Mrs. Elizabeth G. Emmons, state organizer of the W. C. T. U. at the Buchanan Street Methodist church Friday night, a temporary association was organized with Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, president; Miss Myra Kern, vice president; Mrs. J. D. Frank, secretary, and Mrs. R. L. Finch, treasurer. The Maryville association organized some time ago had become disintegrated and the society now formed will take up the work for a permanent organization.

Mrs. Emmons will meet with the society Monday, when a meeting will be held in the First Methodist church at 2 o'clock in the afternoon with the following program:

Devotions—Mrs. F. M. Martin.

Duet—Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Mrs. R. L. Finch.

Talk on County Unit Bill—Mrs. Anderson Craig.

Vocal solo—Rev. Gilbert S. Cox.

Address—Mrs. Elizabeth Emmons.

Mrs. Emmons gave a splendid talk Friday night, discussing the history and work of the W. C. T. U. and taking up the subject of equal suffrage and the county unit bill, advising a vigorous campaign by the association before the coming fall election.

Mrs. Emmons is a very fine speaker and held her audience with intense interest for two hours. A good crowd attended and twelve members were taken into the organization to revive the work in the county and get together the workers of the old association.

Mrs. Emmons is the wife of W. E. Emmons, one of the biggest farmers and Shorthorn cattle breeders in the state, and has taken an active part in the state W. C. T. U. work for a number of years. She spent Saturday at Pickering, where a local society was organized.

Visiting Daughter.

Mrs. W. H. Miller of Burlington Junction arrived in Maryville Friday from St. Joseph, where she has been visiting her son, H. W. Miller, and will spend a while here with her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Turner.

St. Joseph Folks Here.

Mrs. David Ames and daughters, Edna and Bessie, arrived Saturday from St. Joseph to spend several days as the guests of Mrs. M. A. Turner.

Called by Father's Illness.

Mrs. George McMurry has been called to Platte City, Mo., by the serious illness of her father, Dudley Messick.

A FOURTH DEATH

ROBERT COLEMAN OF HOPKINS DIES OF STOMACH TROUBLE.

THREE ARE SUDDEN

Old Settler Leaves Wife and Fourteen Children—Just Returned From Trip to Omaha.

When Robert Coleman, 69 years old, a resident of Nodaway county since 1855, died suddenly at 6 o'clock this morning of acute stomach trouble, there occurred the fourth death in the community of Hopkins within a week, three of them being sudden. Clyde Lincoln died last Monday morning of tuberculosis, William Hendry while attending the Lincoln funeral Thursday was stricken with paralysis and died the next morning, Miss Mary Simmons died Thursday afternoon while sitting in a rocking chair in her home.

Mr. Coleman had just returned to his home, one mile south of Hopkins, last night from Omaha, where he had been visiting, passing through Maryville on his way home. This morning when he awoke he complained of stomach trouble, a disease with which he has been bothered for some time. He drank a hot toddy to relieve himself, but soon began to struggle for breath and in a few moments was dead. The doctor pronounced his death due to acute stomach trouble.

The funeral will be held Monday, burial taking place in the Hopkins cemetery. Mr. Coleman, who had lived near Hopkins for twenty years, is survived by his wife and fourteen children.

Robert Coleman, son of Dr. Josiah Coleman, was born in Adair county, Illinois, January 8, 1843. In April, 1855, the family moved to Nodaway county, where Josiah Coleman laid off the town of Pickering, Mo.

In June, 1861, Robert Coleman enlisted in the army and served throughout the civil war. He was a Republican and cast his first vote for Abraham Lincoln.

He was married twice, first in the fall of 1866 to Miss Minerva Awalt, who died, leaving one child, Mary, who now lives in Denver, Col. His second marriage was to Miss Lydia M. Livasy, who, with their thirteen children, survives him. The children are Adolphus, Oliver, Edward, Walter, Joseph, Clay, Lewis, Misses Neet, Maud, Bertha, Helen and Mrs. Ray Dowling, all of whom live near Hopkins, and Mrs. Harl Scribner of Craig, Mo.

M. U. DISTINGUISHED COLLEGE.

Student May Enter U. S. Army as Second Lieutenant Each Year.

The United States war department has notified Acting President J. C. Jones that the University of Missouri has been ranked as "a distinguished college" in military science.

This gives the university the right to designate one man each year who shall receive an appointment as second lieutenant in the United States army without examination, except as to physical condition.

SWAT THE WEEDS JUNE 24-25.

Mayor and Street Committee Set Days for Lots and Parkways to be Cleaned

"We, the undersigned, Mayor and Street Committee of the city of Maryville, Mo., urgently request all citizens of this city to cut all weeds on their property and along the park-way and streets thereof, Wednesday and Thursday, June 24th and 25th, are hereby designated as a suitable time set apart for this work. Any one desiring assistance in complying with the above may phone or call at the City Hall and laborers will be furnished at a cost of 25 cents per hour. Ordered this 20th day of June, 1914.

U. S. WRIGHT, Mayor.

JNO. H. GRAY,
H. L. RAINES
J. D. FORD
Street Committee.

Entertaining Red Oak Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burnett of Red Oak, Ia., arrived in Maryville Friday night to visit for the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pettit.

Judge Sayler Home.

Judge J. H. Sayler has returned from a ten days' business trip to Spring View, Neb.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Sunday warmer north portion tonight and east portion Sunday.

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DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

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For Prosecuting Attorney.

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We are authorized to announce J. ARTHUR WRAY as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Recorder, subject to the action of the primary election August 4, 1914.

For County Clerk.

We are authorized to announce FRANK BOLIN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Clerk, subject to the primary election, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce PROF. B. F. DUNCAN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Clerk, subject to the Democratic primary election, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce FRED J. YEOMANS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Clerk, subject to the primary election, August 4, 1914.

For Probate Judge.

We are authorized to announce JESSE F. ROBERTSON as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for probate judge, subject to the primary election on August 4, 1914.

For Presiding Judge

We are authorized to announce S. H. WILLIAMS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Presiding Judge of the county court, subject to the action of the primary election, August 4.

Denver Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kane and son, John, and daughters, Helen, Mary and Anna, of Denver, Col., arrived in Maryville Friday to visit at the home of Mr. Kane's mother, Mrs. Bridget Kane, southeast of the city, and with his brother, John Kane, and family of Maryville.

SCOTCH COLLIES FOR SALE.

One handsome mature dog and one 2-year-old bitch, also puppies, both sexes, about a third grown.

F. P. ROBINSON,

St. Joseph Guests Return.

Mrs. Charles Awalt and daughters, Laveta and Alice Anita, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Awalt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Linville, have returned to their home in St. Joseph.

The Onlooker
by HENRY HOWLAND

The Cleaning of the Den

I hear the steady thumping on the carpet on the line;
There are careless people dumping books and papers that are mine;
They are tossing them and mixing them, so I shall nevermore
Get them put back in disorder as I had them fixed before.
They have gone in force and taken firm possession of my den;
They have swiped my scattered pamphlets and have burned them, ne'er again.
Shall I find the tracts containing things I'd marked to read some time—
They are smoking in the alley—and the law permits the crime!
They have robbed me of the cushion that was matted in my chair;
They have put my pipes and ash-trays—well, I can't explain just where;
They are rubbing, they are scrubbing there with all their might and main,
And they shake their heads, assuming looks of sympathy and pain,
Showing that they think I'm crazy for presuming to complain.

Easy.

"How do you manage to put so much hidden meaning in your poems?" asked the enthusiastic maiden.

"Oh, it's very simple," replied the poet. "I merely fix up the rhymes in a row like this:

_____scene
_____fair
_____green
_____there

"Then I let my wife fill out the lines, and there you are."

An Easy Way Out.

"So this is your birthday? How old are you?"

"Don't you know," she indignantly replied, "that it is a sign of bad breeding to ask a lady about her age?"

"Oh, no; not in all cases. It is only unmannerly to ask how old a lady is when one has reason to believe she is old enough to be ashamed of it."

Then she invited him to sit down so they could have "a nice, long visit."

Final Proof.

Miss Westlake—But are you sure that what you feel is really love? People so often make mistakes about these things, you know.

Mr. Manhattan—Ah, darling, there can be no doubt in my case. I love you so deeply that I would be willing to leave New York and live in Chicago for your sake.

HE TOLD HER THE WORST.

"Doctor," said the beautiful young woman who had become the wife of a rich old man, "tell me the worst. I will be brave and try to bear it."

Leading her gently from her suffering husband's bedside, the doctor answered:

"Nerve yourself, then, for a terrible shock. He's going to get well."

In These Glorious Days.

"You must remember that a man is innocent until he is proved guilty."

"Oh, you're too conservative. In these glorious days a man is innocent not only until he is proved guilty, but until all the courts get through trying to discover a technicality which will serve as an excuse for letting him escape from justice."

Bereft.

Why are you weeping, O little boy,
They have laid your mother away,
Ay, but you hope for the heavenly joy
Of going to her some day.

Pitiful small boy, dry your tears
And join your brothers at play;
You will know your loss in the future years
When your faith is argued away.

Merely That.

"What kind of woman is she?"

"I don't like to say disagreeable things about people behind their backs, but I once heard her boast that her husband was a perfect gentleman."

Fresh From the Vaudeville.

"Do you believe in the divine right of kings?"

"I do. I held three of 'em with a pair of nines against another man's queens up on aces last night."

Not for Her.

"What do you think of this vertical handwriting?"

"Oh, I always use a plain gold pen. I never could get used to writin' with one of them verticals."

His Love.

"My love for you," he said, "is as everlasting as time, as wide as the sky and as deep as the sea."

"Yes," she answered, "and I guess it's as soft as mush."

News of Society and Women's Clubs

Some Maryville Heirlooms.

Miss Edna Dietz, one of the recent graduates of the high school, received a gift on that occasion, which is one of great pride to her and is the envy of her friends, who rejoice in the possession of heirlooms. The gift was from the graduate's grandmother, Mrs. William Bredenbeck, and is a linen piece that was one of the treasures of that lady's "hope chest," brought by her from Germany over fifty years ago. The linen was woven by the grandmother herself and embroidered by her.

Speaking of heirlooms, Mrs. J. V. Embree has one which attracted the admiration of all the guests at the meeting of the D. A. R. at her home last Saturday. It is a chair, made of walnut in the colonial style and was built one hundred years ago in the shop of Mrs. Embree's grandfather, Samuel McGrew of western Pennsylvania, who was a cabinet maker. The chair, and also a cradle which Mrs. Embree possesses has been handed down in her family for three generations.

Sunday Dinner Party.

Mrs. Anna Daniels and her daughter, Mrs. Verna Murphy will entertain a party of friends at dinner at the Daniels home Sunday, the guests including Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Loren DeMotte and son, Glen Trullinger and Harry Trullinger.

Touring Abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Dunn of Chicago, former Maryville folks, who have a large coterie of friends here, have started on a tour abroad, during which they will visit the interesting places of England, Scotland and the European countries. The Dunns sailed from New York City June 16 on the Vaterland.

Picnic and Musicale.

Tuesday evening a crowd of young folks enjoyed a picnic supper in the woods of the Busby farm. It was composed of the Misses Lucy Sturm, Stella Donahue, Chloe Busby, Nora Ellerman, Esther Busby, Ella Carey, and Alfred Sturm, Earl Sturm, Albert Sipel, Will Donahue, John Busby and Rufus Carey. After supper the crowd went to the Busby home where they were entertained with a musicale.

To Attend Peery-Garven Wedding.

Miss Sadie Yates and Miss Ella Moore will leave Saturday evening for Albany to attend the wedding Monday afternoon of Miss Wilma Peery of Albany and Mr. Gilbert Garven of Trenton. The Misses Yates and Moore are teachers in the Trenton schools, and are in Maryville attending the summer session of the Normal. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Peery and daughters will be guests at the wedding and will go to Albany Sunday.

Reception for New Comers.

A delightful reception hour was held at the Normal Friday afternoon by the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. in honor of the new comers for the summer term. Punch was served from a table decorated with mammoth clusters of sweet peas, Miss Allie Jean Fisher presiding, assisted by Miss Francyl Rickenbrode, Miss Celia Hutt, Miss Ethel Metzger, Miss Cecil Benight, Miss Marjorie Wilfley and Miss Dale Hoffman. Miss Anna Bainum furnished a delightful victrola musical program during the entertaining hour.

Small Folks Picnic.

Mrs. W. R. Tilson entertained a party of little folks with a picnic at Normal park Friday afternoon for the pleasure of her small nieces, Emolyn and Louise Markley of St. Joseph, who are visiting at her home. Mrs. Tilson was assisted by Mrs. George Wallace, Miss Alice Tilson and Miss Mayme Tilson, and the children of the party were Emolyn and Louise Markley, Gladys and Louise Wilson, Doris and Mildred Wallace, Helen Lahr, Grace Stundon, Agnes Murray, James and Maud Katherine Masters, Letha Katherine Miller, Audrey and Annette Stiwalt, and Mary and Genevieve Todd.

Welcome For the New Comers.

The reception given Friday night by the Epworth League of the First Methodist church for the summer students of the Normal, was attended by about a hundred and fifty visitors, the first part of the entertainment, consisting of a musical, given in the church auditorium. A program was given which consisted of several choruses by the choir, a piano duet by Miss LaRue Kemp and Miss Eva Rittenour, a violin solo by Miss Edith Wilson, a reading from Paul Lawrence Dunbar by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, and a chorus by the choir, "The King of Love," with violin obligato by Miss Wilson. This was followed by a general reception and social time in the League parlors and refreshments were served.

Pleasant Afternoon at Mrs. Gray's.

Mrs. W. T. Gray entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid of the Buchanan Street Methodist church and a few other friends Friday afternoon at her newly completed home on West Fourth street. The hours were passed with informal visiting and at 4 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Gray, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Johnson and Mrs. E. T. Tibbetts. Those present were Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, Mrs. Henry Thorp, Mrs. Raymond Barry and her guests, Mrs. C. A. Hallam and daughter of Dallas, Texas; Mrs. E. H. Schenck, Miss Aurene Schenck, Mrs. E. W. Willoughby, Mrs. E. T. Tibbetts, Miss Leila Tibbetts, Mrs. A. W. Wilkerson, Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Mrs. Clara Trewitt, Mrs. A. R. Estes and son, Mrs. M. E. Farrar, Mrs. Solomon Clark, Mrs. Ed Dale and Mrs. Byron Frost.

Entertain For Visiting Guest.

In compliment to her guest, Miss Mary Rose Brady of Plattsburg, Miss Marie Cook entertained a party of friends Friday night, the company including Miss Brady, Miss Veronica O'Grady, Miss Margaret Heffern, Misses Mary and Helen Tobin, Miss Grace Parle and Misses Margaret and Elizabeth Cook.

Miss Linneman to Give Dinner.

Miss Mayme Linneman kill give a 1 o'clock dinner Sunday as a courtesy to her house guest, Miss Lillian Martin of St. Joseph. Plates will be laid for Miss Martin, Miss Elizabeth Heffern, Miss Mamie Dougan, Miss Elizabeth Doran and Miss Linneman.

Entertain For Junction Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Auer entertained a number of friends Friday evening in honor of their guests, the Misses Mary and Lillian McLaughlin of Burlington Junction. A musical program was the entertainment of the early evening and this was followed by a delicious supper. Those present were the Misses McLaughlin, Miss Lucy Archer, Miss Mae Graham, Miss Martha Villing, Miss Margaret Allen, Miss Mamie Wadsworth, Miss Loretta McManus, Miss Ora McManus, Miss Rose Wilmes, Miss Christina Berg, Joseph Tom and Charles Archer, Cornelius McManus, Jonas Allen, Lawrence Remele, Frank and Arthur Auer, Tom and Leo Graham, Charles Villing, Henry Berg, Albert Gaa, Harry Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Auer.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—200. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.

Hogs—11,000. Market strong; top, $8.45. Estimate tomorrow, 25,000.

Sheep—4,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—100. Market steady.

Hogs—2,000. Market strong; top, $8.35.

Sheep—300. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—None. Market steady.

Hogs—3,600. Market strong; top, $8.35.

Sheep—4,000. Market steady.

Married by Rev. Harkness.

Harry Hale and Myrtle J. Wilfong, both of Burlington Junction, were married this afternoon by Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

Visited Father.

Leo Brown and his sister, Miss Edna Brown of Burlington Junction spent Saturday in Maryville, visiting their father, George Brown, who is at St. Francis hospital being treated for a bad case of blood poisoning.

Among Nodaway county stockmen with offerings on the market Friday were M. B. Sherlock, R. R. Brown and Rankin Bros.

Miss Myrtle Brown of Quitman is a week-end visitor at the home of Miss Beulah Hoagland of Skidmore.

JOB HEDGES.
Proposal That New York G. O. P. Hold Convention Meets With Opposition.

Photo by American Press Association.

REGINALD M'KENNA.
Home Secretary, Who Refuses to Change Tactics In Dealing With Militants.

Photo by American Press Association.

To Sunday in Maryville.

Dan Holmes of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville Saturday to spend Sunday with Mrs. Holmes, who is at St. Francis hospital recovering from an operation which she underwent about ten days ago.

Band to Play at Tarkio.

The Missouri Ladies Military band, under the direction of Miss Alma Nash, has been engaged to play at Tarkio July 4th.

Miss Grace Daugherty, who is attending the Normal, went to her home at Graham Friday evening to visit qver Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Finch of Burlington Junction spent the day Saturday visiting friends in Maryville.

Miss Donna Sisson left Saturday morning for St. Joseph to spend the day visiting friends.

Mrs. David McKee and Miss Bess McKee of Orrsburg spent Saturday visiting friends in Maryville.

HOW FRENCH PEOPLE CURE STOMACH TROUBLE

A household remedy of the French peasantry, consisting of pure vegetable oil, and said to possess wonderful merit in the treatment of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles, has been introduced in this country by George H. Mayr, who for twenty years has been one of the leading down town druggists of Chicago and who himself was cured by its use. So quick and effective is its action that a single dose is usually enough to bring pronounced relief in the most stubborn cases, and many people who have tried it declare they never heard of anything to produce such remarkable results in so short a time. It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and can now be had at almost any drug store. It is now sold here by **Pearson's Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.**

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Subject of the lesson sermon, "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force."

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Reading room open each afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock.

First Christian Church.

Sunday school at 9.30 a. m.

Communion service at 10:45 o'clock, followed by preaching at 11 o'clock. Rev. Finch will speak on "Efficiency in the Modern Church." There will be special music at all services, under the direction of H. J. Becker.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Preaching services at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "Oil For Life's Troubled Sea."

B. Y. P. U. at 7 o'clock, Miss Ora Quinn, leader.

Sermon at 8 o'clock, subject, "The Way of Forgiveness and Its Blessedness."

First M. E. Church.

Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by Rev. C. R. Haudenschield.

Epworth League at 7 o'clock.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock, with sermon by pastor. Subject, "He That Overcometh." Anthem, "Gently Lead Us," Fearis. Solo, "I Do Not Ask, O, Lord," Sprouff, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, violin obligato by Miss Edith Wilson.

Monday evening Dr. Christy will conduct the third quarterly conference.

Buchanan Street Methodist.

The Rev. J. D. Randolph, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. A full attendance is desired. It is the purpose of the superintendent to establish a new record for attendance during the summer months.

The pastor will preach at 10:45 a. m.

Epworth League at 7:00 p. m.

At the evening hour the pulpit will be occupied by Paul Prosser of St. Louis, Mo., who will speak in behalf of Central College. Mr. Prosser is an orator of unusual ability. The general public is invited to this service as well as the members of the church.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 9.45 o'clock.

Morning worship at 11. The pastor's sermon will be entitled "Why Faith Breaks Down," and the choir will sing "There Were Brought Unto Him," by Peace.

Young People's club at 7 o'clock. Miss Lois Farmer will be the leader and the subject will be "Helen Kellar—An Inspiration."

At 8 o'clock Dr. D. S. Stevens, chancellor of Kansas City university, who will be the principal speaker at the Harmony home coming, will preach. Misses Helen and Bernice Crawford will sing "Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us," by Wilson.

Holt County Sends 45 to Normal.

Forty-five of the summer school students at the Normal school are from Holt county. Thirty-six of these are women and nine are men.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Des Moines Party Visits Parnell.

Parnell is to entertain a bunch of Des Moines business men next Thursday morning, who are going over the territory on a general trip for the purpose of getting acquainted with the people.

The party travels in its own special train and will stop at Parnell for about half an hour's visit.

Cummins Boys Home.

Eugene and Frank Cummins returned Friday night from Atchison, Kan., where both have been students at St. Benedict's college, and graduated from the High School course last week. The former is the son of Dr. K. C. Cummins and the latter of Attorney T. A. Cummins.

Visit at Chillicothe.

J. J. Barr of this city and his sister, Mrs. F. M. McCaulley of Lake City, Ia., returned Friday evening from a visit with their uncle, Mr. James Porter of Chillicothe.

Returns From Visit.

Miss Nellie Marion Smith returned Friday evening from a three days visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith, of near Wilcox.

Kansas City Guest Arrives.

Miss Kathlyn McShane of Kansas City arrived in Maryville Saturday and will visit at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Katherine Vaughn.

New York Guest

Charles A. Kerr, of New York City, will arrive in the city Saturday night to spend a few days, the guest of H. L. Haines.

PONIES FOR SALE.

Will sell handsome pair matched pure white mare ponies, weight about 600 pounds each. They are not young, but are in fine condition and sound, and have been used by children all their lives. F. P. ROBINSON,

Maryville, Mo.

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CHARLES S. HAMLIN.

From Recent Photo of Governor of Powerful Federal Reserve Board.

TALBOT RE-ELECTED AS HEAD CONSUL

Modern Woodmen Insurgents Defeated In Head Camp.

Toledo, O., June 20.—The head camp of the Modern Woodmen of America re-elected A. R. Talbot of Lincoln, Neb., head consul of the society for the fifth consecutive time, together with all the administration candidates.

Talbot was re-elected over E. A. Smith of Springfield, Ill., the insurgents' candidate, 292½ to 134½.

C. W. Hawes, who has held the position of head clerk for twenty-four years, nominated James McNamara of Rock Island, Ill., who defeated Harry H. Hooker of Tecumseh, Okla., insurgent candidate. Daniel Horn of Davenport, Ia., was re-elected head adviser, and John D. Velz of Indianapolis, Ind., was chosen head banker. Other officers elected were: Head Escort, R. M. McCrackin of Grand View, Ida.; head watchman, J. L. Mayfield of Granada, Colo., re-elected; head chaplain, Rev. H. E. Dunnack of Augusta, Me.

Among the directors elected are F. P. Kerns of Des Moines, Ia.

Tonight will probably wind up the proceedings, though a great deal of business is yet to be transacted.

YALE WINS THE FOUR MILE

Sons of Eli Take Varsity Race From Harvard by Four Inches.

New London, Conn., June 20.—By a margin of four inches Yale won the varsity four mile eight-oared race on the Thames river, after a struggle which will stand out in rowing history.

Through a four mile lane of steam yachts and motor boats the sixteen crew men toiled at the Crimson and Blue tipped oars as no galley slave ever labored under the lash, while thousands of spectators shrieked hysterically.

When the knifelike prows of the racing shells had cut past the final line of flags and the oarsmen dropped with heaving chests, few of the thousands knew whether victory had perched upon the bow of the Yale or the Harvard racing craft.

Slowly the Harvard colors began to sink as the judges shouted across the water that Yale had won its first varsity race in seven years by less than a foot in twenty-one minutes, sixteen seconds, with Harvard crossing the line one-fifth of a second later.

MOYER ON THE JOB IN BUTTE

Presides Over Meeting of Conservative Faction of Local.

Butte, Mont., June 20.—Each faction of the Butte local of the Western Federation of Miners held committee meetings.

The meeting of the conservatives of the local was presided over by Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who came here with the avowed purpose of putting the local union on a sound business basis and keeping it from withdrawing from the jurisdiction of the federation.

The seceders made arrangements for a hall that will seat 5,000 for their meeting tomorrow, at which their plan of future action will be disclosed.

Mr. Moyer was accompanied here by James Lord, in charge of the mining department of the American Federation of Labor, who left his official duties in Trinidad, Colo. The aid of the United Mine Workers of America was pledged to Mr. Moyer in the telegram from John P. White, president of the organization.

Inquiry Into Bond Issue of Nicaragua

Washington, June 20.—A telegram from Brown Brothers and Seligman & Co., New York bankers, read in the senate on presentation by Senator O'Gorman and denying they had profited excessively by Nicaraguan bond issues, brought out a demand from Senator Smith of Michigan that the bond issues be investigated.

The Weather.

Fair and warmer.

Whether you do the washing for a big family or for just the two of you, it is a hard piece of work.

Anty Drudge Loves to See People Happy

Anty Drudge—"Why, my dear, was that your pretty voice I heard as I came along? I am so glad that you have time to practice your music; so many young brides let it go after they get married."

Mrs. Justwed—"Well, Anty Drudge, to tell the truth, after I had done my washing the old-fashioned way for a few weeks, just after I was married, I was so tired and worn out with the heat I hadn't the heart to practice. But since I use Fels-Naptha Soap for all my housework I get through so soon that I feel happy enough to sing."

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If you use Fels-Naptha Soap, you know that all this is true. Fels-Naptha Soap, used the Fels-Naptha way, means less work and more leisure for you. It means that all cleaning you do—washing dishes, washing clothes, cleaning paint or woodwork—everything about housecleaning can be done in cool or lukewarm water, with half the effort it used to take.

Better buy Fels-Naptha by the carton or box.

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FINDING A HIRED MAN.

Jewell Mayes, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, Offers to Help Farmers.

Secretary Jewell Mayes proposes to help solve the hired help problem for Missouri farmers. With the hearty approval of the state board of agriculture he has set about finding a man for the job and a job for the man. It is not so difficult a matter to secure help as it is to get men who are not only capable but decent and trustworthy. The man who is employed on a farm must be taken into the home life of his employer. It is a far different proposition than that confronting the city man, who hires help and puts his men under a trained foreman. The laborer may be a drunkard or a crook, but he must give efficient service while on the job or pass on and make room for another.

In every city are men who have had farm training and would be glad to get back to the soil if the right inducement was made. These are the men that Labor Commissioner John Fitzpatrick hopes to send to the farmers who ask help from Secretary Mayes. In every section of the state there are also men and women trained along special lines of agriculture, dairying or fruit growing, who would be glad to locate where there is permanent work and possibility of advancement. It's a fine thing, this idea of getting the job and the man together. If you need temporary or permanent help on the farm, write to Jewell Mayes, Columbia, Mo., and tell him just what you want and what you have to offer. Mr. Mayes will take the matter up with Commissioner Fitzpatrick, who is working in hearty co-operation, and you will be given the names of men who might meet your especial demands. No "floater" is to be sent to the country. Clean, capable men who can give good reference are on the farm help list.—Missouri Ruralist.

Bulgarian in School.

Peter D. Yankoff, a Bulgarian, is in this vicinity canvassing for a book entitled "Household Discoveries." Mr. Yankoff came to this country eight years ago, with no money, but with the determination of educating himself. He could not speak a word of English, but he had vim, energy and perseverance, and soon succeeded in finding an opening to enter Park college, at Parkville, Mo.

He spent one year there learning to speak our language and the American ways. He then commenced his pursuit for an education, and a few weeks ago was graduated from that institution, having worked his way through.

He is now working to secure means to attend a medical college, so that he can return to his native country as a medical missionary.—Clearmont News.

Mr. Mergen Up Town.

Peter Mergen, who had been at the St. Francis hospital the past five weeks having undergone an operation there, was up town for the first time. He is feeling much better and will leave the hospital Monday.

G. H. Colbert to Speak in St. Joseph.

Dean George H. Colbert of the Normal school went to St. Joseph to address the rural graduates of Buchanan county.

THE ORIGIN OF "SHOW ME."

Matt Knapp Tells How the Phrase Started—Grew Out of Marriage Laws.

"You'll have to show me—I'm from Missouri."

How often you have heard that phrase, and—incidentally, how tired you have grown of it. But maybe there was a time when you wondered where it originated.

Matt Knapp, a secret service detective, says it grew out of the enactment of the Missouri marriage laws. Prior to 1881, Missouri had about the zero in marriage laws, Mr. Knapp says. Any couple who had the inclination and could find a justice of the peace, or a preacher, could join hands for better or for worse, and didn't have to say anything to the state about it.

No questions were asked as to ages, or consent of parents, and unwilling justices and preachers seldom were found. Other adjoining states strove to get Missouri to pass some state marriage laws, because young people from Kansas, Iowa and other states could step across the line, holler at a justice and be married in hurry up style, and there was no state regulation of it.

In 1881 a law was passed making it a misdemeanor for a preacher or a justice to marry persons not having a state license, and setting the age of marriageable women at 18 years. If the applicant for license did not know the age of the bride-elect, he had to produce her to the license clerk and let him judge her age.

When the applicant went back after the girl, she asked the reason, of course, why she had to go along to get the license. When told that the law required her exhibition, she remarked: "Oh, you've got to show me, have you?"

This occurred many times during the first year or so of the law's effectiveness, and became a by-word, according to Mr. Knapp.

Rains Spoiled Their Fishing.

For one reason the men of Guilford did not like the recent rains, and that is because they spoiled the fishing. Before the rains the water in the Platte river was so low that it trapped the fish in the pools. The men would go to the river and pull the fish out with their hands. They caught from 50 to 150 pounds every time they went.

Lee Hoyt Thought to Be Insane.

Lee Hoyt of Chillicothe, tried three times for the murder of his father and acquitted, has acted so strangely since then that his relatives had him taken to the hospital for the insane at St. Joseph. He was refused admittance there because the papers were not made out correctly, but they will be righted at once. The three Hoyt trials cost the state $3,892.05.

Returns From oCin.

John Shaw returned Friday from Coin, Ia., where he was called to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, A. R. McMichael. Mrs. Shaw will return home Sunday evening.

Arrives From Kansas City.

Miss Pearl Snapp arrived Friday night from Kansas City to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. John Snapp.

Program at the Fern Next Week.

Monday—The Lady of the Lake, Sir Walter Scott's poem in three reels. This is a special feature. Hogan's Alley is the comedy.

Tuesday—The Squaw Man, in six parts, with Dustin Farnan in the leading role. There will be two shows, starting at 7:30 and 9 o'clock. This is one of the big things of the season.

Wednesday—Zingo, the third of this series. Pa and Ma Elope is the comedy.

Thursday—The Speeder's Revenge, Vitagraph drama; The Tell Tale Star, Lubin drama; Kid Pink and the Maharajah is the comedy.

Hearst's Selig Pictorial will start Friday, taking the place of the Pathe Weekly; His Wife, Lubin drama.

Saturday—Silent Trails, Vitagraph drama; When the Cartridges Failed, Edison; Sophie's Birthday Party, a comedy.

Remember, Tuesday The Squaw Man with Dustin Farnan in the leading role. Six big reels made by the All Stars.

Monday—The Lady of the Lake, Sir Walter Scott's beautiful poem in three big reels.

Two months ago the Barmann Auto Co. had twenty-two new cars on the floor. They have been out of cars for over a week now and are putting forth every effort to get more. Ford orders are piling up fast. Those who want Ford cars in the next few weeks must get their orders in now.

Harold and Frank Roelofson are visiting at Savannah with their sister, Mrs. Paul Sawyers.

CULTIVATING TIME

Remember the Farmers Trust Company Corn Prizes—$300.00 in Gold to Nodaway County Boys. Any boy in the county under 20 years of age is eligible to compete.

The season for cultivating corn is now in full swing and Nodaway county boys should keep in mind the liberal prizes offered by the Farmers' Trust Company of Maryville. These prizes are offered for the largest acre yield and will be awarded under rules similar to those of the Nodaway County Corn Show. The Prizes follows:

First Prize - $50.00

Second	$45.00	Ninth	$10.00
Third	40.00	Tenth	5.00
Fourth	35.00	Eleventh	5.00
Fifth	30.00	Twelfth	5.00
Sixth	25.00	Thirteenth	5.00
Seventh	20.00	Fourteenth	5.00
Eighth	15.00	Fifteenth	5.00

Farmers Trust Company
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

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REAL ESTATE

We have a large list of Nodaway county farms of from 40 to 320 acres. If you intend to buy this fall we have some good farms to show you, that are priced right, and have attractive terms.

CITY PROPERTY

If you are in the market for city property, come in and look over our list.

CANADA

We are agents for Canadian lands and would be glad to talk with you, giving you our prices, terms and rates to see these lands.

We would appreciate a share of your insurance.

The Peters Land Company

222½ North Main Maryville, Missouri

Big Wall Paper and Paint Sale.

While in the city I purchased 4000 rolls of Wall Paper at a very low price. I am going to sell every roll of it at cost price. This paper is not a job lot assortment of odds and ends, but every pattern is a good one. I know how to buy wall paper, sell wall paper and also hang wall paper. Price for hanging butt work the best 20c per roll. Lap work 10c per roll. I guarantee all work to be first class.

A. D. Arnett Decorating Company

111 WEST THIRD STREET

S. M. Lincoln Improving.

S. M. Lincoln of near Orrsburg, who has been at a Rochester, Minn, sanitarium for the past two months, continues to improve. He expects to remain several months longer until his health is entirely regained.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Leaves For Nebraska Home.

Mrs. William Crawford of Nebraska City, Neb., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeal for the past week, returned to her home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMullen of Ravenwood were in Maryville yesterday.

THE FOUNDATION OF SUCCESS

Often Times Has A Small Beginning.

WHY NOT START A SAVINGS ACCOUNT? WE MAKE IT easy for you by providing a pocket savings bank in which you can deposit small sums. 4% Interest Paid on Savings.

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Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo $19.20

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Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco $61.48

Cody, Gardner, Yellow Stone Station $33.84

Very liberal stop over privileges allowed on these tickets. Let WABASH help plan your trip.

E. L. FERRITOR, Agent

HUNDREDS OF MINERS BURIED

Blast Entombs 250 Men in Alberta Colliery.

FIFTY PERSONS ARE RESCUED

Only Fourteen of These Now Alive and Hope of Saving Workers Below Surface Has Been Abandoned—Victims Trapped by Explosion.

Lethbridge, Alberta, June 20.—An explosion entombed 250 miners employed in mine No. 20 of the Hillcrest collieries. Of the fifty rescued, only fourteen have survived. Despite efforts of the two score mine experts laboring amid the poisonous gases and debris hope of rescuing alive the 200 men yet in the mine is waning.

The effects of the disaster were:

Men in mine when explosion occurred, 600, of whom 350 escaped.

Number rescued, fifty, of whom thirty-six died later.

Miners still entombed, 200, probably killed by fire which followed the explosion.

A silent group of wives and mothers stood at the mouth of the mine, which had been closed by the explosion, still hopeful that rescues would be made.

The explosion shook the countryside for miles, lifted the roofs of many miners' cabins and demolished numerous small buildings. A moment after the explosion a score of panic stricken surface workers rushed from the mine, followed by a dense cloud of smoke and poisonous fumes.

When the first rescue crew arrived, a large force of men set about to clear the shaft. Thousands of tons of rock have fallen into the mine and it is feared that the men, even had they escaped death from the poisonous fumes, probably were crushed to death by the falling debris.

Mine Chief Buried.

Thomas Quigley, superintendent of the mine, is among those entombed.

Two trains filled with expert mine workers, doctors, nurses and officials of railways arrived and the work of a systematic rescue was begun. As rescue parties entered the mine they found jumbled in a chaotic mass horses, timbers, wagons and mining paraphernalia, the scene being indicative of the force of the explosion.

Fire broke out soon after the explosion, but almost immediately died out, although gas fumes made it impossible for the men to work effectively for several hours.

The explosion tore out both ends of the pit and blocked the interior of the workings, making it almost impossible to gain entrance. Most of the miners were working about 400 feet inside the mine.

A majority of the men are foreign-born, but a large number of them are English speaking.

RUSSIAN LAWYERS IN JAIL

Twenty-five Sentenced For Protesting Against Beilis Trial.

St. Petersburg, June 20.—The trial of twenty-five lawyers on a charge of insulting the ministry of justice during the trial of Mendel Beilis ended in the conviction of all the defendants. Two of them, Sokolaff and M. Kerenski, were sentenced to eight months' imprisonment and the others to terms of six months each.

At the time of the trial of Beilis the lawyers drew up a strong protest, in which it was alleged that the ministry of justice and the court at Kiev before which Beilis was tried were inspired by racial and national enmity.

The sentence imposed on the lawyers deprives them of their political rights, but does not interfere with their civil rights. The court room was crowded with members of the duma and other public men.

M. Bobritcheff, one of the advocates, was called to order by the president of the court when he declared that the trial was a miscarriage of justice and that all honorable men had been indignant over the proceedings in the trial of Beilis.

POLICE INSPECTOR SLAIN

Shot Down by Man Sought For Murder of Three.

Boston, June 20.—Police Inspector Thomas F. Norton was killed and Lawrence Robinson, said to be wanted in Grand Rapids, Mich., for triple murder, was seriously wounded in a running fight which followed Norton's attempt to arrest Robinson.

Two other police inspectors and a companion of Robinson, Joseph Daniels, joined in the firing, which started in a restaurant in the business section and ended in the crowded street outside. Half a hundred shots were fired. Daniels was captured.

Jury In Spurgeon Case "Hung."

Denver, June 20.—The jury at the second trial of Robert Owen, charged with nine others with the abduction and robbery of Rev. Otis L. Spurgeon of Des Moines, Ia., reported a disagreement, and was discharged. The third trial of the case was set for July 6.

New York Sails For Europe.

New York, June 20.—The American line steamship New York, damaged last Saturday in a collision with the liner Pretoria, sailed for Southampton after having been repaired. It carries 415 cabin passengers and nearly $3,000,000 in gold and silver for Europe.

WILLIAM F. M'COMBS.

Said National Chairman Will Be Law Partner Of Justice Dowling.

Photo by American Press Association.

BRANDEIS IS NOT SATISFIED

Criticises Bill Giving Board Power Over Issuing Certificates.

Washington, June 20.—The house bill giving the interstate commerce commission supervisory powers over the issue of railroad securities was criticised before the senate interstate commerce committee by Louis D. Brandeis of Boston. His views were not at all in accord with those expressed previously by members of the commission, which to a large degree has approved the house bill.

The house bill would give the commission power to approve securities issues, but would not prohibit specifically any particular issue. Mr. Brandeis proposed to prohibit regulations in any business other than that of carrier and forbid them to issue any securities at all except for the betterment or extension of the railroad property. This provision he urged to curb the desire of railroads to go into coal mining, hotel and other businesses not purely that of carriers. Mr. Brandeis offered an amendment to the house bill incorporating these suggestions.

REVIEW OF TRADE

Confidence Remains Unshaken and Volume of Trade Very Steady.

New York, June 20.—Dun's Review of Trade says:

Confidence remains unshaken and while conditions are not wholly satisfactory yet the volume of trade is very steady. The promise of bountiful harvests is the factor of most weight. Worsted mills are busy and some manufacturers of woolens are actively engaged, with prices steady because of the firmness of raw wool. On the whole, business in footwear continues backward and generally unsatisfactory, although evidences of improvement are not entirely lacking. Conflicting reports are received as to conditions in iron and steel, but the situation has nevertheless improved.

Failures for the week are 333, against 264 last year.

Dyer Is Unseated by House.

Washington, June 20.—L. C. Dyer of St. Louis, Republican, representing the Twelfth Missouri district, was unseated by the house by a vote of 147 to 98. His election was contested by Michael J. Gill, Democrat. Then by a vote of 126 to 108 a resolution declaring Gill legally elected was adopted. Mr. Gill immediately took the oath of office.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, June 20.—Closing prices: Wheat—July, 83⅝c; Sept., 81⅞c.
Corn—July, 69½c; Sept., 67⅝c.
Oats—July, 39⅞c; Sept., 38⅝c.
Pork—July, $20.70; Sept., $20.10.
Lard—July, $10.12½; Sept., $10.30.
Ribs—July, $11.52½; Sept., $11.55.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 88¾@89¼c; No. 2 corn, 70½@71c; No. 3 white oats, 40@40¾c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; firm; beeves, $7.35@9.35; western steers, $6.80@8.15; stockers and feeders, $6.10@8.10; cows and heifers, $3.60@8.80; calves, $7@10.25. Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; strong and 5c higher; bulk of sales, $8.30@8.40; light, $8.10@8.37½; heavy, $7.95@8.40; rough, $7.95@8.10; pigs, $7.15@7.90. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; slow; sheep, $5.30@6.40; yearlings, $6.40@7.50; lambs, $6.50@8.50; springs, $7@9.75.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, June 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 500; steady; beef steers, $7.50@9; cows and heifers, $4@8.35; stockers and feeders, $6.50@8; bulls, $5.75@7.70; calves, $7@11. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; 5c higher; bulk of sales, $8.15@8.20; top, $8.25. Sheep—Receipts, 4,500; shade higher; lambs, $8.25@9.65; wethers, $5.85@6.30; ewes, $5.50@6.

MEDIATION IS NEAR COLLAPSE

Negotiations End Unless Mexican Delegates Yield.

DEADLOCK OVER PRESIDENT.

Lamar's Memorandum Saying United States Must Insist on Acceptance of Its Plan Is Ultimatum—Naon Talks Hopefully.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 20.—Justice Lamar's memorandum to Emilio Rabasa, head of the Mexican delegation, announcing that the United States "must insist" on the acceptance of its plan for the pacification of Mexico, is an ultimatum. Unless the Huerta delegates yield, mediation will end Monday.

This is the firm determination of the United States as it was conveyed to the mediators. Ambassador Da Gama of Brazil and Minister Suarez of Chile asked the American delegates if their position had changed in view of the Carranza-Villa split and the reply was in the negative.

It was an informal talk, but served to advise the mediators that the published statements of the American and Huerta delegates, with their opposite views on the type of man to be selected for provisional president, defined the unalterable attitude of the American government.

Just what the policy of the United States would be in the event of the failure of mediation or what disposition it would make of the American troops at Vera Cruz is unknown even to the American delegates.

The Huerta commissioners say they do not know what course of action General Huerta may pursue. Those conversant with the American viewpoint, however, believe President Wilson is determined that inasmuch as there could not be pacification in Mexico unless the Constitutionalist accepted any plan that might be adopted here, the interests of peace would not be conserved by a continuance of mediation negotiations.

Naon Talks Hopefully.

Washington, June 20.—Hope that the wavering mediation program still might bring peace to Mexico was expressed here by Argentine Minister Naon as he took the train for Niagara Falls after conferences with President Wilson and Secretary Bryan and Luis Cabrera of the Washington agency of the Constitutionalists.

EXCURSION BOAT GOES DOWN

At First Thought to Have Carried Hundreds of Passengers.

St. Louis, June 20.—A report that an excursion steamer with several hundred passengers aboard struck the new water tower in course of construction in the center of the Mississippi river, just north of here, and sank in a few minutes later, reached harbor officials this morning. Police officers and boats were sent up the river to investigate.

The report originated with a watchman along the river front, who reported he had seen the accident.

The Eagle Packet company claimed the boat was their Majestic, carrying several hundred girl operators of the Bell Telephone company.

According to the watchman, who first told the story, the boat sank soon after striking the tower. Newspaper men declared they could discern a few people hanging from the rigging.

The owners of the line later declared the Majestic, though an excursion boat, carried no passengers.

MAY TAKE FEDS INTO FOLD

Rumors That Organized Baseball Will Surrender.

New York, June 20.—Although representatives of organized baseball were here in numbers, presumably to consider ways and means of offsetting Federal league opposition, there was little evidence of serious consideration of the question by the magnates.

Various rumors were in circulation as to the probable action to be taken. That out of war peace might be evolved was one persistent report. The peace plan contemplated, it was said, involved satisfying most of the demands of the American association and International league, which wish to be raised to the major league status by the abolishment of the draft rule and composing the opposition of the Federals by taking them into the ranks of organized baseball.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Federal League.

Baltimore, 4; Kansas, 5.
Brooklyn, 8; St. Louis, 6.

American League.

Boston, 2; Chicago, 3.
Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 6.
Washington, 2; Detroit, 3.

National League.

St. Louis, 5; Boston, 7.
Cincinnati, 0; New York, 6.
Chicago, 8; Philadelphia, 7.

Western League.

Sioux City, 2; Omaha, 6.
Lincoln, 0; Topeka, 1.
Des Moines, 4; St. Joseph, 2.
Wichita, 9; Denver, 3.

Nebraska State League.

Hastings, 4; Grand Island, 6.
York, 6; Kearney, 7.
Superior, 1; Norfolk, 4.
Beatrice, 3; Columbus, 4.

WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

FOR SALE—Two good milch cows. Call at this office. 18-20

FOR SALE—Two mules, team of horses. Phone 422 Skidmore. 15-22

FOR SALE—Good mandolin. Call 6457 Hanamo. 19-22

STANDARD PLUMBING CO., permanently of Maryville. Honest plumbing at honest prices. Some worse; none better.

FOR RENT—To small family lower No. 120 East Edward st., possession June 15. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A binder as good as new. Call C. G. Partridge, Hanamo 667. 19-26

FOR SALE—Sweet potato plants. C. A. Wilson, Main street, north city limits. 19-22

Ryks Plumbing Co., formerly of Omaha. Hanamo 279 Up-to-date first class plumbing. South side square. 21-t.

FOUND—Something of value; claimant may have same by return ad satisfactorily identifying same and paying for notice. 18-20.

FOR SALE—A fine young Jersey cow. R. R. 5, box 6; Tel. Hanamo 331. C. E. Jones. 19-22

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5-passenger Reo automobile, first class condition. Telephone or write Fred Wallace, Burlington Junction, Mo. 18-20

IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME—See Dr. Becker for cleaning and pressing The Clothes Doctor, at 209½ North Main.

FOR SALE—Two Jersey cows, one fresh, other fresh in few days. Good ones. See Burt M. Rowley at Real Estate bank. 20-23

Harry Palmer Arrested.

Harry Palmer, a young colored boy, was locked up in the county jail yesterday by Sheriff Ed Wallace and will now lay out his fine which he received last fall for gaming. Harry agreed to pay the fine, but after paying some of it, left town and just arrived back yesterday.

CHARLES E. STILWELL, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.

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